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MEXICO'S BIG VOLCANO NOW IN ERUPTION

Tidwell Takes Karem Ring Without A Struggle

Walton Indicted By County Grand Jury--Seven Counts

Old Popocatepti On Rampage Emiting Fire And Smoke

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 23.—Popocatepti, Mexico's volcano, which has been in a semi-active state since the days of the Spanish conquest, became active again. A constant and intense rain of ashes is falling while the summit is belching dense columns of smoke. Natives in surrounding villages are terror stricken and are preparing to flee.

POWER PLANT AT TEAGUE BOUGHT BY COMMUNITY P. & L. CO

MARLIN, Texas, Nov. 23.—The Community Power and Light Company reports the purchase of the plant at Teague, Texas, and are planning to run a high line from Mexia to supply current for Teague and the T. & B. V. shops at Teague. Engineers are now surveying a right-of-way for a high line from Marlin to Mexia via Groesbeck. When this is completed the plant at Marlin will probably supply the current used after ten o'clock at night for the system, thus allowing the smaller plant to close at night.

Midnight Golf Next On Tapis

MINERAL WELLS, Texas, Nov. 23—Night golf, which made its debut during a tournament here recently, gives promise of becoming as popular as the day game.

Development of a luminous ball by several enthusiasts has made midnight golf comes possible. Lights placed at strategic points make the course nearly as easy to negotiate at in the daytime.

Demonstrating the practicability of the night game, four holes were played in forty five minutes and both players turned in scores of 32.

For those whose grandmother can't die every week or hate to have a torrid sun, the game is expected to prove a boon.

Farmers Want A Tariff on Wheat

OMAHA, Neb., Nov. 23.—A 50 cents per bushel tariff on wheat is asked in resolutions adopted by the National Farmers Educational and Co-operative Union convention at its closing session. Other resolutions demanded that the government accept immediately the Ford offer for Muscle Shoals, that steps be taken to stabilize prices of cotton and wheat; separation of intermediate credit bank from the Federal Farm Loan system; repeal of the Esch-Cummins law and public ownership of railroads as co-operative enterprises.

BURGLARS

Burglars are reported to have entered King's Grocery Company's store on Belknap street Thursday night.

Mexia Shriners Capture Waco Thursday

Amid roaring and shouting that fairly rung the coliseum at Waco yesterday, Rodney (Buck) Tidwell, Mexia's popular ring candidate was awarded first honors and took Karem's Diamond ring without a struggle.

The Mexia Shrine Club Special, flag bedecked and with the appropriate colors of the Shrine and showy emblems of the order pulled into the Cotton Belt passenger station promptly on time at eleven o'clock, with about 150 Shriners and their ladies and a full train crew of Nobles.

The special picked up Shriners along the route, stopping at Coolidge and Hubbard for a brief parade, headed always by the popular ring candidate.

Upon arrival of the party at Waco they were met at the train by representatives from Karem Temple who offered automobiles for the ladies, but most of them refused the ride and joined the Shrine Club parade from the station to the Raleigh hotel, in which the Jelly Bean Band scored heavily with Buck in the lead. No time was lost on arrival at the Raleigh and Buck and his supporters got busy and mounted the stump in the hotel lobby, presenting his platform to all Waco in a manner becoming only to Buck. The noise kept up in the lobby for nearly an hour, put the hotel's private branch exchange system out of the running and it was impossible for the operator to put through any calls until Buck had them all hollering for him.

Novice Simpson, who was appointed Superintendent of News Butches on the train, with the assistances of a dozen other novices from Mexia and vicinity supplied the crowd with eats smokes and noise makers,

One of the biggest features of Karems big parade was the Mexi delegation, with Buck in the lead driving a two wheel gig to which was hitched an old Gray Mare; the Jelly Bean Band composed of the following members played "The Old Gray Mare," while Buck presented his candidacy to the thousands who crowded the side walks and streets along the line of the procession: Nobles W. B. Lee of Wortham; Ruhe Maddox, Wallace Welch, J. E. McElroy, Monkey Hitt, Werner and Hayter.

An accident occurred just before the parade started. As Buck swung his outfit into line, the Jelly Bean band struck up the tune Old Gray Mare, came tearing through the wilderness and the mare taking up her cue, started through the wilderness, throwing Buck over backwards tearing his breeches, which were already skin tight, but this did not impede his progress, for he removed his coat and tied it around where the seat of his breeches should be and continued his campaign with even more vigor, thereby winning hundreds of additional votes by this one act. Buck's main opponent was a Waco novice to whom Buck told that he stood to more show of winning the ring than Jack Walton did of being reseated as Governor of Oklahoma.

A one hundred and twenty five plate luncheon was served in the hall room of the Raleigh Hotel for the Mexiates at which much jollity was indulged in; not a moment being lost by Buck and his supporters to campaign for votes.

One hundred and twenty five novices crossed the hot sands in the evening and it was declared by all that Buck was a bigger glutton for punishment than any novice in the bunch.

At the conclusion of the ceremonial and the awarding of the ring, a lovely banquet was served by Karem to the several thousand shriners and their ladies, followed immediately by the imperial council, a two reel comedy and a varied musical program by Karems band and other Karem artists.

A fitting climax was the big ball at nine o'clock in which approximately 1500 shriners and ladies participated. So well did they enjoy this feature of the program that several of them were seen driving into Mexia in service cars just in time to get on the job this morning.

The officials of Karem Temple congratulated the Mexia Shrine club for the wonderful showing made in their city and declared that Mexia was largely responsible for the success of the ceremonial and have placed themselves under lasting obliged the nobles of this com-

More Trouble For Strenous Governor Oklahoma

OKLAHOMA CITY, Nov. 23—Former Governor Walton was indicted by the county grand jury on seven counts, six charging diversion of state funds and prevention of the meeting of the legislature. The seventh, filed in the county court, charged an attempt to intimidate an officer. Dr. A. E. Davenport, state health commissioner, and T. P. Edwards, formerly Walton's chauffeur, were indicted jointly with Walton on five counts. Bond for Walton, which he is prepared to make, was set at $1,000 on each of six counts and $750 on the seventh.

Oxcart Methods Still The Rule

WICHITA FALLS, Texas, Nov. 23.—Originality always pays.

Haled into city court before Judge Corrigan, where excuses rarely go, a violator of the parking laws was called upon for an explanation.

"You can't expect a man who used to leave his ox cart in front of a blacksmith shop for hours to remember to move his car every two hours," he retorted. The court ruled this was pretty good and let him go.

Hit the Bulls Eye And Pay the Price

RANGER, Texas, Nov. 23.—Miss Pearl Shelton, of Ranger, is believed to be the only woman in Texas who runs a shooting gallery.

While her patrons blaze away at the elusive target, she bangs away on the cash register and fills the guns.

"Sure, there's no field of endeavor that a woman can't get into now," she says.

Just a Step From Church To Jail

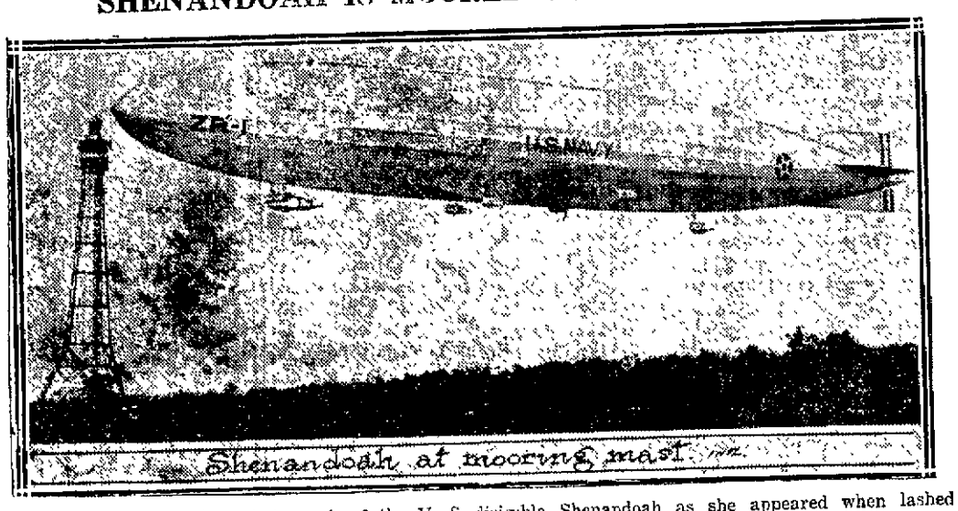
HOUSTON, Texas, Nov. 23.—From a seat of pious dignity at the head of a Sunday School class to a cell in the county jail was the long step taken by H. Y. Potts, negro.

"Can't we put off this excitement 'till some other time?" Potts pleaded as deputies attended his class armed with a warrant for his arrest.

"The excitement's over" they told him. "We've just raided your home and found 14 gallons of liquor."

Postmaster I. Newman is on the sick list today.

SHENANDOAH IS MOORED TO STEEL MAST.



Above is shown the first photograph of the U. S. dirigible Shenandoah as she appeared when lashed to her steel mooring mast at Lakehurst, N. J. The mast is 172 feet high and is designed to hold the dirigible in calm weather instead of taking her into her immense hangar. The first attempt to lash her to the mast failed, but a week later three officers and fifteen men moored her securely. Three hundred men are required to "walk the ship" into the hangar.

Ex-Nun Causes Riot In K. C. Theatre

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 23.—Rioting broke out here last night following an address at the St. John theatre by Mrs. Helen Steep, who claims to be an ex-nun.

Scheduled speeches by the woman had been ordered stopped by police following an outbreak at a meeting Wednesday. She obtained a court injunction preventing further police interference.

Following her address last night, women started screaming, pulling hair and arguments broke out thruout the theater. One woman who asked a question following the speech, was escorted from the theater by police amid cries of "throw her out." On the outside, fist fighting started and a score of police were required to quiet the crowd.

Communists And Police Battle In Streets Essen

PARIS, Nov. 23.—Ten thousand communists, massed in the streets of Essen, battled with the police, according to dispatches. One policeman was killed, two wounded and twenty workers were seriously injured.

Uncle Sam Wants To Look at Books

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—Secretary of Agriculture Wallace called a confernece of officials connected with the administration of packer control to plan action to force packers to submit to the examination of their books. Wallace said that his reply to the packers' refusal to open their books to the government would be made immediately.

LAW ABIDING CITIZEN AND NOT A FLOGGER

DALLAS, Texas, Nov. 23.—The grand jury exonerated, in a special report, Tom Noell, Dalas county farmer, from charges by Joe Westbrook, flogger victim, that Noell was one of the floggers. The report characterized Noell as an upright and honorable citizen.

THE WEATHER

East Texas—Tonight and Saturday partly cloudy; somewhat colder tonight.

West Texas—Tonight fair, colder

OIL

Bailing was resumed at the McDonald Bros. test, on the Brown tract, near Richland Thursday morning and a good showing of oil and gas has been reported. According to information reaching here from Richland Thursday afternoon, the bailing line has broken and work was suspended temporarily with about 1400 feet of mud and slush in the bottom of the well.

Oil scouts visiting the well Thursday declare the gas is showing up strong enough to blow out the slush when bailed 500 feet more. The indications are sufficient to warrant the belief that a big well will result on final completion, it is reliably reported. Some oil is reported to have flowed out of the hole Thursday.

Speculation Rife.

Speculation is rife as to whether this is the same pool and can be regarded an extension to the Powell deep field area, or whether it is a part of the Richland pool, and if production will connect in the two heretofore distinct areas.

Should it be an extension to the local field, a vast amount of territory lies between to be drilled and tested. It is reported that a good sand showing is being made at the Mead-Smith test, midway between the two points of big production. The Atlantic test on the Goldman tract is being watched with renewed interest.

Other outpost tests which come into the spotlight by the Richland discovery are the Bressie No. 1 of the Battram-Tidal Oil Company, the Allison-Taylor-Jackson, and a number of new locations which have been made in that territory on the showing made by completions within the last twenty four hours.

Production Added.

Four wells were brought in in the Powell field Wednesday night. They include the following:

Humble Oiland Refining Company's Crews No. 6; the Humble Oil and Refining Company's E. L. Kent No. 2; Skelley Oil Company's Keith No. 3 and the Simms Oil Company's Boyd No. 3.

The Crews well has been gauged at forty-one barrels of oil an hour, the E. L. Kent at fifty-two barrels an hour, the Skelly-Keith No. 3 has been estimated at 2,500 barraels a day and the Boyd well of the Simms Company is estimated at 200 barrels an hour.

The Mutual Oil Company has purchased forty acres of the Scruggs farm, south of Navarro, for a site to build a tank farm. Five 55s will be erected on the property for storing the oil being produced on the acreage of the company in the Powell pool. Price paid for the forty acres is $9,500.

The Mutual has production on the Harwell tract, at the present western fringe of operations, and has four tests ready to be brought in this week. They are the No. 2, No. 3, No. 4 and

No Friction In Flogging Case At Dallas

DALLAS, Texas, Nov. 23.—Denial that friction existed between the police department, the sheriff's department and the district attorney, was made in a statement issued here last night by the three heads of the departments, following threat of possible federal intervention in the probe of the flogging of Joe Westbrook who yesterday alleged Tom Noell, grand juror, helped whip him.

The statement said the officials were "straining every nerve" to run down the floggers. No arrests have been made since Westbrook was flogged the night of November 1, although the case has been under investigation since.

Thursday, Westbrook demanded that charges be filed against Noell who is a member of the present grand jury. District Attorney Shelby Cox refused to accept charges, declaring the whole accusation a "frame-up."

Police Commissioner Louis Turley declared he would take the case to the United States supreme court unless local officials took action.

BRITISH - AMER'N BOOZE TREATY READY FOR ACTION

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—The British draft of the proposed liquor treaty between the United States and Great Britain will be presented to the State Department sometime today, it is understood here.

The draft proposed by the British Government and instructions covering its presentation to Washington are said to have been received here at the British Embassy.

Separatists Chief Disbands Forces

DUSSELDORF, Nov. 23.—One hundred and sijty Rhineland separatists were killed and 600 wounded in Saturday's fighting, German newspapers announce.

As a result of defeats, the separatist chiefs decided to disband their forces, limiting their activities to maintaining control in cities already occupied.

J. B. Wells of Sulphur Springs is in the city on business.

Questionnaire Being Prepared By Committee On 24 Centennial

CORSICANA, Texas, Nov. 23.—Lowry Martin, chairman of the committee having charge of the survey work in connection with the staging of the proposed Texas Centennial authorized the following statement today:

The committee in charge is already at work and a questionnaire will shortly be mailed to organizations throughout the state of Texas, including all Chambers of Commerce, Merchants Associations, civic and business clubs and organizations, and newspapers seeking their co-operation and requesting information from them as to their ideas in the formulating of definite plans.

This exposition to be the success it rightfully deserves must serve every interest in this great State and above all should be kept clean of promotion either for individual or for any community or section.

Before the press of the State or any organization lend its influence towards the development of any proposed plan for this Centennial they should be certain that such plan eminates from the general committee named to crystalize sentiment for this Exposition or later when further progress has been made, to be sure that those presenting the plan are duly accredited representatives of the Centennial Exposition.

Credit for the idea of this Centennial belongs to Theo. H. Price, of New York City, Editor of Commerce and Finance, who first presented Texas with the plan when he visited Corsicana, at the recent convention of the Tenth District of Associated Advertising Clubs of the World. This convention named a state wide committee to formulate plans or to seek the sentiment of the State towards such an exposition and this work will be properly done by this committee and in due time a concrete plan submitted to the citizenship of Texas.

The committee appointed to take active charge of the centennial survey is Lowry Martin, chairman, Corsicana; John Robert Payne, San Antonio; Percy Montgomery, El Paso, Boyce Martin, Corsicana; Beeman Fisher, Dallas; T. Page Rogers, Houston; James Binkley, Sherman, and W. O. Allen, Amarillo.

Klan Chaplain Caught with Booze Says Was Frameup

MARLIN, Texas, Nov. 23.—Declining to comment on Ku Klux Klan matters, Rev. Caleb E. Ridley, imperial kludd or chaplain of the order was in Marlin today on what he said was "a week's rest cure."

Rev. Ridley was accompanied by Dr. J. W. McNeil, of Silsbee, a friend.

While declining to say anything at all about the Klan, Rev. Ridley broke his resedve long enough to say that charges of driving an automobile while intoxicated, preferred against him in Atlanta, recently, were "all a frame up."

Royal Arch Masons Meet Tomorrow Nite

Regular meeting of Mexia Chapter No. 131, Royal Arch Masons tomorrow (Saturday) night. Some petitions to be acted on and other important business. Visitors are always welcome.—W. M. WEBB, H. P.

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CHILDREN NEED LEADERSHIP.

The child problem is age old. It is accumulative and grows bigger as the world grows older. Time will never be on this earth, and in this country when it will be improper, untimely or out of place to consider that problem and just what may be done by Parent-Teachers clubs and women's organizations in a community to improve child life. Emerson in discussing "The man America needs" in the 70s declared that the young men of this country were lacking in idealism; they needed higher ideals then. They need higher ideals now. Just at this time there is bitter complaint in effect that the young generation is going to the bad: and, after an unprecedented amount of publicity of the crimes and other misdeeds committed by youth, the parent class of our citizenship is rallying to meet the situation. They are realizing that certain things can be done immediately and practically without money and expense, to deal constructively with the moral requirements of the young in this day and time and thus solve the problem for the present.

The significance of childhood has been slow to learn. The old Spartan theory was that the aim of government was to form, by means of education, a race of citizens whose bodily strength and powers of endurance, united to moral vigor and public spirit, would be security for their performing efficiently the duties which the state required. There was a savage inconsistency in such a false theory, for the family merged in the state. If a boy baby could not make a soldier, Sparta had no use for him. He was cast to the wild beasts or subjected to neglect and cruelties that brought death even before the swaddling clothes of infancy had been outgrown. When a community neglects its children, it is following to a certain extent the old Spartan theory, which is certain to bring regret and loss sooner or later in life.

In Christian America, we are told of the dignity of the individual man; that man is more than a citizen, and that a state is nothing except as it fosters and develops the happiness and character of the members of society, of all sexes and all ages.

The arguments and facts of our history lead inevitably to this conclusion: human birth and childhood and the discipline which these states and relations involve, furnish, of all others the best possible conditions for the salvation of the race. We should, therefore, study the needs of childhood along with all the other great theme and problems which effect our history.

Consider, for a moment, the condition of a new born babe. What possibilities are wrapped up in that tiny frame and undeveloped mind. That little head may sometime wield the sceptre of an empire or it may fire a gun, in a moment of murderous passion, and slay a fellow being. It is now voiceless and impotent. That tongue may some day move multitudes by its eloquence or it may join in the chorus of slander and swearing heard on too many of our public corners today. It is now voiceless. That mind may some day master great problems or it may dwarf with the years until its influence for good dwindles to nothing. It is now ignorant of the simplest truths. Weak and pitiful thing, for a whole year it cannot walk alone, or lisp the name of its mother. It is the most helpless of all young things and for a longer length of time. Few children under twelve and dependent upon their own exertions could maintain their own existence. In the life of a mere animal, a few months may terminate its dependent relations. The lower down in the scale of being, the less is this dependence until at last it seems to cease altogether. If we search among the oysters beds, we find no traceable parental care or infantile dependence—only minute points of life adhering to the rocks and fed by the waves.

O, when will we learn fully the profound and awful significance of childhood. Shame on the person who can look into the face of a little child and not be awed and thrilled with a sense of responsibility which takes hold on eternity! Mothers and fathers have in their hands a key which none can touch, but an entire community may combine and furnish real fields of opportunity for its young life to enter. In all reverence but with truth, for a long time, parents stand in the place of God to their children.

We must learn that to feed and clothe them simply, to give them education enough to push their way through the conflicts of three score and ten years—that these are the least of our duties toward them.

It is a very sad spectacle when a parent or a community fails to walk worthy of a high vocation. As a falling tree crushes the humbler shrubs and more tender plant life that grow and cling about it, so the apostate parent or community falls not alone but crushes that beneath it when it crashes to the earth in ignominious failure.

Let us, then, provide for the fourfold requirements of our youth and direct the whole life of the child, remembering that there is more in proper training even than in teaching merely. Play, work, sociability and religion are his requirements.

Let's begin the movement with the idea of this four fould service and thus see that the children of this community form habits of thinking, feeling, and doing. Dr. Johnson has well said that the diminutive chains of habit are seldom heavy enough to be felt until they are too strong to be broken. Like snowflakes that fall unperceived upon the earth the seemingly unimportant events of life succeed one another.

Child welfare work may begin with the playground movement. But remember children cannot live by play alone anymore than man can live by bread alone. No expensive equipment is necessary. Space to play, the presence of children and able leadership, such are the essentials of a successful playground. With this idea first executed, then the plan may be fully developed. Usually in a case of a new venture of this kind, it is not difficult to raise the necessary funds through voluntary subscription. Voluntary play leaders may relieve a part of the cost, but there should be at least one person employed on a salary. Able leadership is even more desirable than expensive equipment. Our children need such leadership, and our women can secure it for them.

TEAPOT DOME LEASE MAY ENDANGER NATIONAL DEFENSE.

The first installments of the Teapot Dome Naval Oil Reserve hearings have been published, and the damaging testimony therein will be thoroughly aired in the coming session of Congress.

Senator Kendrick (Wyo.), who brought to light the secret lease of this oil reserve said, "A Government official is not permitted to sell a blind army mule without advertising for bids, yet here Secretary of the Interior, with the concurrence of the President and the Secretary of the Navy, has secretly entered into a contract providing for the disposal of Government property worth millions of dollars."

When ex-Secretary Fall, who made this secret lease, was on the stand he was closely questioned by Senator Walsh of Montana, who has conducted this investigation in a masterly way, on his failure to call for bids on this lease.

"Don't you know," asked Senator Walsh, "that the law expressly provides that Government officials must call for bids in entering into contracts for supplies or services, excepting personal services?"

"Well, I consider this a personal service to the Navy," Fall replied.

"You know perfectly well that the exception applies to such services as the employing of Government clerks," said Senator Walsh.

"I think the law also makes exceptions to the effects of public officials to conserve the country's interests," said Fall, "and I felt that in this case I was acting for the best interest of the Navy."

Under this interpretation a public official might do anything he please with Government property and set up the claim that he was acting in the best interest of the country.

The testimony of Chester W. Washburn, an eminent consulting geologist of New York, brought to light a new phase of the military question involved in this case.

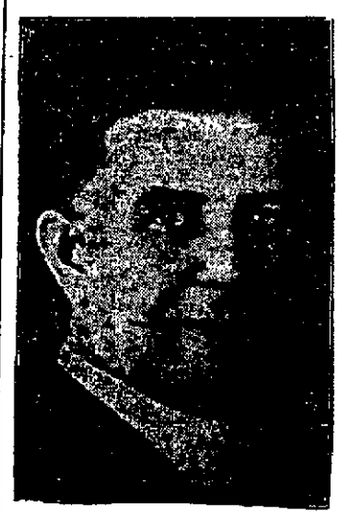
Mr. Washburn said: "Remember that in exchange for its crude oil the Government is getting fuel oil in tanks. It is quite possible that in ten years fuel oil will be obsolete. It appears now that the military need of the next generation will be gasoline for aircraft. Gasoline cannot be stored, because of the high rate of evaporation. Many forms of fuel can be extracted from crude oil but the fuel oil is fuel oil. It is presumptious and dangerous for us to stake the future military safety of the country on the chance that fuel oil for [illegible]ers will always be the prime necessity".

The testimony as developed by Senator Walsh of Montana and Senator Jones of New Mexico has greatly strengthened the people's case against the looting of this oil reserve and the undermining of the national defense.

AUSTIN, Texas.—Football fans are expecting great things of Eckhardt, Texas University star in the Thanksgiving game against Texas A. & M. Eckhardt one of the best players ever turned out here, will play his last game for Texas against the Aggies.

GREENVILLE, Texas, Nov. 22.—Walter Baumgardner was acquitted late yesterday on a charge of killing W. H. Steed, Jr., last May. The jury was out one hour.

PATTERSON'S COLUMN



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ANYBODY—I thank you
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—PATTERSON.

CHANGE OF LIFE

Florida Lady Was in a Miserable Condition, But Says She Found Cardui Helpful, and Got Well.

Altha, Fla.—In explaining how she found Cardui so helpful during change of life, Mrs. Ella M. Bailey, of Route 2, this place, said:

"I became so weakened it was an effort for me to get around. I knew what was the matter, but I felt like I couldn't give up.

"I just dragged, and I certainly was nervous. I was so restless I could not sit down long—yet so weak I couldn't get about. It is a most miserable and such a helpless feeling.

"I would get depressed and out of heart.

"I began to feel, after awhile, there was no use to try to get well. This is all wrong, for it makes a person worse.

"I had heard of Cardui, and thought it might strengthen me. A neighbor had used it with good results.

"I took one bottle (of Cardui), then I saw I wasn't so nervous, so kept it up.

"Gradually the nervousness left me. I began to eat and sleep better. Was soon well, and all right. Cardui did wonders for me, and I certainly do recommend it."

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SAME PRICE for over 30 years
25 Ounces for 25¢
(more than a pound and a half for a quarter)
Use less than of higher priced brands
MILLIONS OF POUNDS BOUGHT BY OUR GOVERNMENT.

What is YOUR favorite word for something you like immensely? Whatever it is, you'll say it when you taste Sunset Coffee. Everybody, everwhere, does. You just can't help liking it—and saying so.

Little aluminum coins in Sunset Cans along with small cash sums, get you many desired articles for yourself or children. We find this good advertising and thus share with you what might otherwise be spent in newspapers. For instance:

For 4 Coupons and $2
A Genuine, 300 ft. range, Ever-ready flasher; all nickel; a dandy. Folder in each can shows choice of other bargains.

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Fine Quality, Plus Guaranteed Freshness

We have made skillful blending and roasting an art, but more important is the natural, fine quality of the raw coffee berries we import. Sealed, airtight cans insure freshness which is due to popularity and rapid sale. Try some Sunset Coffee today.

SUNSET Coffee
its flavor tells the whole story

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Latest News From The Oil Fields

FREESTONE COUNTY

e county of Freestone, Texas, a geographical position that places lmost entirely within and encir- by a series of great oil fields. topography of the area is for most part a slightly broken plain ned by small creeks and streams its general drainage system to e into Trinity river which nds the county on the east. Border- Free. tone county on the west and ning north about twenty degrees courses an escarpment, or bluff extending across the country for ng distance. This escarpment line adly scarred by erosion and thering into an irregular meander- trend of strike often terminating disconnected sections or points and ally known as Tehuacana Bluffs, gah Ridge,etc.

This escarpment formed by a layer strata more resisting to erosion n the adjoining formation marks division, or contact line between periods of formation the surface the upper cretaceous laying to the st and the eocene or lower part of tertiary period resting above on slopes to the southeast towards Gulf Coast

Following and paralelling this ement line to nearby is apparent- a gigantic system of fault lines of ch the Balcones fault line laying the west may perhaps be considered major fault line

Along these fault lines probably in ect contact with some of the minor ults have been discovered and de- loped in the last two and one-half some of the largest and most ductive oil pools ever discovered Of these areas, or among these ld, Mexia, Currie, Richland and eedville, Powell and Going fa ther south. The Mexia ld is now and has been for a ber of years a great producing and is considered by prominent ologists to be a type of oil pool in its persistence production or quality to hold up e the pump after the head pre- has been released and natural flowing ceased. These qualities also the Currie Richland pool area

The Powell oil field a few miles uthward to the north following same broad zone of geological lete- ation of big flowing wells ve ex- flush production of oil simply immense and bargain fitting description. Sloping southeastward toward the Gulf Coast in its regional dip from the general line of deforma- tion rent where the southeast corner of Freestone county borders Trinity river. This line of deformation while differing considerably from the Bal- cones fault line is nevertheless very pronounced and has many distinct characteristic features marking its course. This interruption of the com- paratively even formation on its re- gional dip is also marked by fractur- ed zones and fault lines and is in ad- dition characterized by a series of well formed salt domes extending across the southeast corner of Free- stone county on a strike north about twenty degrees east roughly paralell to the Balcones fracture zone is a ridge of low uneven hills coursing thru long distances. This feature of ridge crossing the country marks the remains of an escarpment left eroded and weathered away until only the more or less irregular jutting hills and bluffs remain to show its former course. These however maintain a regular order in their strike and course and are plainly observeable covering a long distance. Following along this general line of deformity at near distances often in more or less close contact are a number of very interesting and unusual geologi- cal occurence next in importance to the extended general line of fracturing with its accompanying minor fault lines is perhaps the occurence of a series of salt domes along the course These salt domes are more in evidence in the northern extension of this line of deformity reaching across Ander- son county and range along the strike south to about the line of Leon coun- ty and perhaps further southward. Among these salt domes are some that are quite symmetrical in form with well defined dips in the structur- al formation.

These formative conditions includ- ing the general line of deformity, the minor fault lines and the series of salt domes along its flanks all lend strong support to possible structural formation favorable for oil pools. And that such structural conditions inclos- ing and containing, oil in commercial quantities actually does exist at favored points along this line may be safely predicted. At a distance of a few miles from the little town of Butler in the southeast corner of Freestone county occurs one of these salt domes known as Butler salt dome

These domeshaped structural con- ditions are probably formed by the slow and gradual intrusion from be- low under enormous pressure of a solid body of the mineral halite or rock salt. The local deformation caused by these geological intrusions are plainly shown by the dip of strata and form an interesting prob- lem in structural geology. The coun- teracting effect of erosion and wear- ing away of the upper portion of these structures are shown plainly by the lines of dips in numerous places. These salt dome structures have long been associated intimately with the occurence of commercial oil pools in many places in Southeast Texas and are always considered one of the con- tributing factors to the favorable in- dications of commercial oil wells. Among some of these salt dome struc- tures are found many of the best oil wells in the state and in many places are known to mark the line of struc- tural conditions producing oil and gas in abundant quantities.

Laying along the strike of this gen- eral structural condition are indica- tions of numerous minor folds and fault lines. Some of these are anti- clinal in structure others are likely fault line structures and may be of various different forms.

That this extended line of formation marked by structural conditions with many favorable features indicating the presence of oil will be production at favored places along its line is most encouraging. Throughout the oil producing regions of the south- west wherever the collective structur- al geological conditions on a large natural plan have been favorable for the collection and trapping of oil,— oil has been obtained by proper and efficient development. That great oil fields like Mexia, Currie and Powell may be found along this line is not to be regarded as unlikely at all and only remains for capable and qualifi- ed operators to test out by drilling and prospecting the area.

Drink Water If Kidneys Bother

Flush your kidneys by drinking a quart of water each day, also take salts occasionally, says a noted au- thority, who tells us that too much rich food forms acids which almost paralyze the kidneys in their efforts to expel it from the blood. They be- come sluggish and weaken; then you may suffer with a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, your stomach sours, tongue is coated and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine gets cloudy, full of sediment, the channels often get sore and irritated obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night.

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WACO, Texas.—Porter, tackle and youngest player on the Baylor team is out of the lineup on account of ill- ness. It was believed, however, he would be able to play against S. M. U at Dallas next Thursday.

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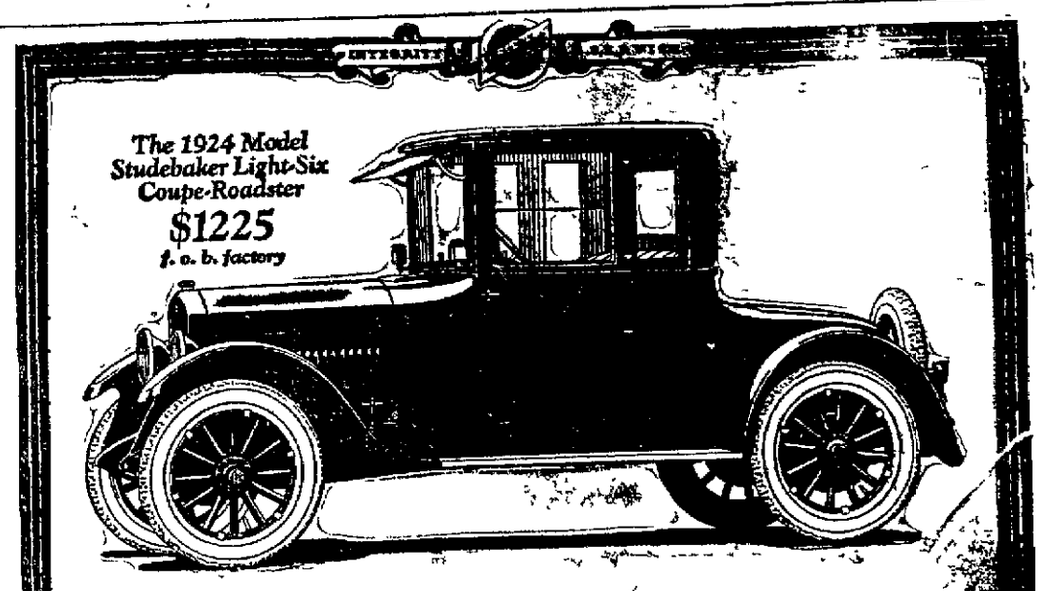

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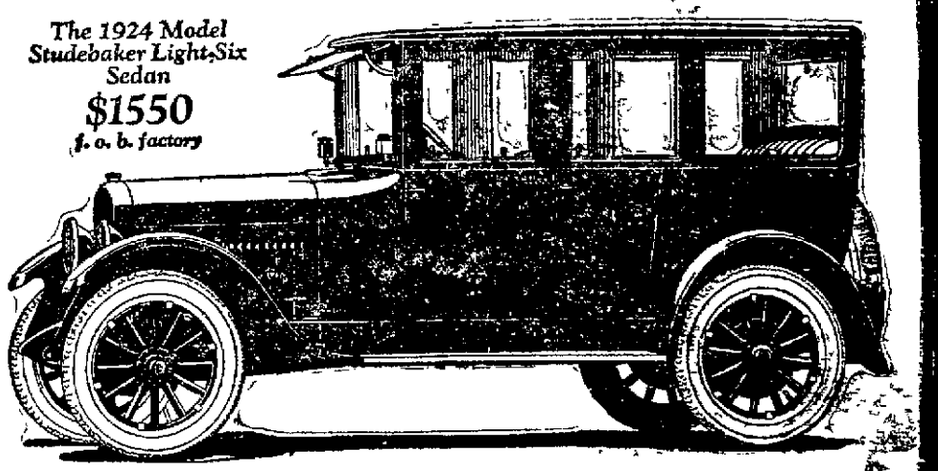

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OIL FOUND IN CALIFORNIA BURIED NEARLY ONE MILE

ALL WELLS COMPLETED IN U. S. IN 1922 MEANT TWELVE THOUSAND MILES OF DRILLING—WHAT IS PETROLEUM?—HOW MUCH OIL?—WORLD COMPETITION.

A well has just been drilled in California which struck oil at 5,430 feet, said to be the deepest producing oil well in the United States. The deepest well ever drilled for oil was completed in Pennsylvania at a depth of 7,570 feet. This was an experimental well which failed to strike oil.

Nowadays the average producing oil well completed in the United States is 2,000 feet, or more than half a mile deep. All the wells completed in the United States in 1922 meant over twelve thousand miles of drilling. Not so many years ago oil was found at an average depth of a thousand to fifteen hundred feet. Deep oil wells now cost from $10,000 to $100,000 to drill and there is always the risk of getting a dry hole.

Where Oil is Deposited.

Petroleum was formed through the geologic ages before primitive man. It is almost without exception found in porous sandy rocks which are stratified that is, in layers of rocks, and which have been deposited in their respective localities while that part of the earth's surface was under water.

Disintegration by such agencies as water, wind and glaciers, the creation of land where once was water, have left oil deposits at great distance from the sea. Specimens of petrified sea bottom indicate that the great oil fields of the Mid-Continent in this country at one time formed part of the ocean bed.

What is Oil

Scientists are divided in opinion as to the origin of oil. The two principal theories are the inorganic and organic.

The inorganic theory is that of the chemical formation of oil by contact of gases with mineral deposits.

The more accepted theory is the organic, that the process of decay or transmutation of animal and vegetable matter imbedded in the earth's surface has taken the form of oil.

Science of Finding Oil.

The manufacture of oil is still going on in nature's laboratory, according to authorities, but at an infinitesimal rate as compared with the drain on known resources. Present known pools have evidently long since passed from the manufacturing stage and are now merely reservoirs.

The finding of oil has resolved itself into a science, the science of petroleum geology, and great advances have been made in the science in recent years. Nature has ordained, however, many qualifying factors as to favorable geologic structure, extent of reservoir, saturation of sand, and so forth, which place the burden of proof as to existence of oil and production of oil upon man's mechanical device, the drill. The discovery and development of oil is of necessity, therefore, a hazardous and costly operating process with widely varied actual results.

How Much Oil?

How much oil? Scientists are not in agreement as to the extent of the world's petroleum resources. Found in many parts of the world, oil has been revealed imbedded in almost the whole range of strata which forms the earth's crust.

Oil does not stay immovable in the rock lined caldron in which it is manufactured. It is as restless as any liquid if it can find an outlet. Oil has moved from the formations in which it was made to other fromations, generally loose and porous, which have served as natural reservoirs.

It is found in rocks ancient and bewhiskered in geological age and then again in formations aeons younger in geological evolution.

Earth Scarcely Scratched

Only a small area of the earth has been tested for oil. Scientific estimates of world petroleum deposits are based on geological knowledge of conditions in developed and undeveloped fields and on the actual tests and experiences to date. One such estimate placed the world's oil reserves at sixty billion barrels.

As development proceeds it is necessary constantly to revise such estimates. The expansion of drilling operations is steadily increasing the range of knowledge as to occurrence of oil.

Other Factors in Oil Development.

Factors, other than geological, affect the development of oil. Many foreign countries have restrictions against operations by other than their own nationals which necessarily operate against free, competitive development.

The United States and Mexico supply 86% of the world's petroleum requirements. The United States is the greatest consumer of oil. In addition to producing 65% of all the oil, this country imports well over one hundred million barrels annually.

View of Government Official.

"There is urgent need of pioneering the world for oil to meet the needs of this generation, but there is no warrant for regarding this advance into new fields as beginning a contest whose aim is world conquest," says George Otis Smith, Director of the U. S. Geological Survey.

"The present need o fthe United States for oil from abroad can be met only by world-wide exploration, development and operation by American companies backed up by our government, and we should expect other nations that are embarrassed by similar or even greater discrepancy between consumption and production to adopt the same policy."

Foreign Competition.

Foreign interests have developed petroleum sources in many countries where restrictions operate against American competition. The Federal Trade Commission recently issued a report on foreign ownership in the petroleum industry, which stated:

"The sources of supply of the domestic industry are concentrated within its own borders and in Mexico, while those of its principal competitor are widely distributed throughout the whole world. It appears obvious that a nation having widely distributed supply and storage facilities and owning themeans of distribution will have certain advantages in world trade against one having concentrated supply."

Miss Lillian Wallace, bookkeeper at the Western Union telegraph office has been on the sick list for several days, and it is feared that she has typhoid fever.

Walter Womack and J. San Smith have returned from a ten hunting trip on the coast near C Christi. Of course they kille limit as there are thousands of down there flying around ove bays and lakes.

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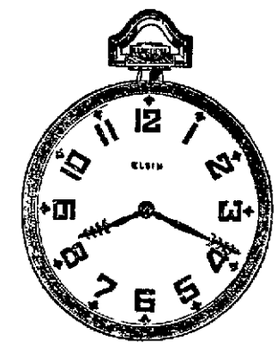

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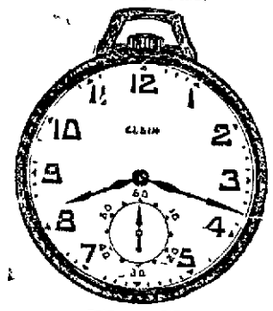

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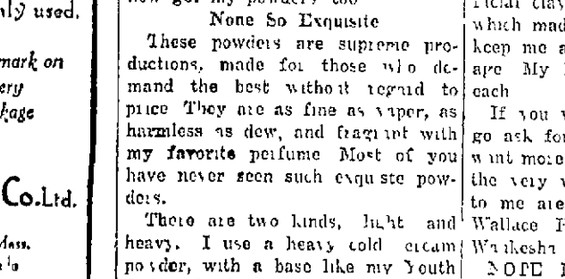

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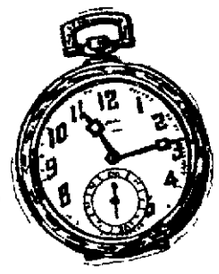

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Many are looking forward with keenest anticipation to a recital which is to be given Saturday afternoon by the pupils of Miss Lois Groover and Miss Mary Adele Woodard. The interesting event will be given at the Central Presbyterian church, to which the public is cordially invited.

Patronesses of the classes are Elise Gibson, Betsey Jane Walters and Margaret Beeson.

The following is the program to be given:

1. The Coo-Coo-Clock-La Bughee. Margarete Vandersole.
2. Reading—The Cooky Jar.—Betty Nell Phillips.
3. Reading—So Waz I.—Roy Westmoreland.
4. The Prikies Goodnight Song.—Opus 32.—A. L. Brown, Aline Jackson.
5. Reading—Gran'ma Alus Does.—Teddy Prickett.
6. Reading—The Barnyard Fable.—Elizabeth Stevens.
7. Reading—It's Nothing to Laugh At.—Edward Petty.
8. Valsette Op. 11.—A. L. Brown. Margret Machen.
9. Readings—In the Pantry; The Japanese Lullaby.—Margrete Vandersole.
10. Reading—Grandma's Making Cake.—Roger Adamson.
11. Reading—Mud Pies.—Pauline Parker.
12. Scarf Dance—Chaminade.—Beulah May Jackson.
12. Reading—In the Usual Way.—Virginia Brown.
14. Reading—At Breakfast Time.—Walter Ben Jackson.
15. Old Folks at Home.—Stevens Foster, Ora Lee Wiley.
16. Reading—Opportunity—Sill.—Ileene Westmoreland.
17. Reading—Sister's Best Feller.—Arthur Bonner.
18. Reading—The Busy Body.—Inez Callum.
19. The Flower Song—Lang.—Ola Fay Bolton.
20. Reading—My Ships.—Louise Maddox.
21. Fifth Nocturne—Leback.—Annabelle Machen.
22. A Playlette—The Little Pink Lady.—Intermediate Expression Pupils.
23. Duet—Dance of Demons—Holst—Margrete Machen and Annabelle Machen.

LITTLE BABY DIES AFTER EATING LYE WHILE MOTHER DOES THE FAMILY WASHING

Funeral services were held this morning from the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Thompson on East Rusk street for their infant granddaughter, Mary Marguerite Thompson who died Thursday in a Waco sanitarium, following the accidental eating of the contents of a can of lye the day before. The mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Thompson, as well as all the other near and dear relatives, are grief stricken over the sad incident. Wednesday, the mother was doing the family washing at their home near Iredell in Bosque county, when the little one got hold of the can. She was rushed to Waco for treatment and everything possible was done to prolong her life, but to no avail. Life's fitful fever soon ended for the little maid and her precious form conveyed to the home of the grandparents here. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Joe Jeffers this morning at 10:30 and burial took place immediately afterwards in the City Cemetery.

Sportlights

By JIMMIE

When this football season goes down in history the name of Coach Frank Bridges of Baylor should be in the headlines. He has taken an almost green team and developed them into a fighting and so far undefeated team in the Southwestern Conference. If by any chance the Aggies defeat the Longhorns at College Station Turkey Day and the Baylor Bears are victors over the Mustangs at Dallas the bunting goes to the Bears, and if such is the case they have truely earned the title of champions.

The Waco Tigers, winner of district nine championship of which Mexia is a member will meet Calvert, winner of district thirteen in the first elimination contest at Waco next Friday afternoon. The Waco Tigers show the same form that they showed last season when they fought their way to state title and it looks like they are going to duplicate their feat of last season.

The Corsicana Tigers will meet the Ennis delegation in a return match to be played at Ennis Friday afternoon of this week. Corsicana defeated the Ennis squad in their first meeting on Gumbo Buster gridiron by a 6 to 0 score, the Mexia Black Cats accomplished the same feat on the local gridiron last Friday afternoon with the same score.

George Smythe the Army's field general is still out of condition and may be able to play only part of the Navy game Saturday. If this report is correct it will certainly be a blow to the Soldiers because the team is built around Smythe who has led the West Pointers to victory many times. Wood is calling signals and running the team during his absence.

Looks like the youngsters at S. M. U. have the same stuff in them that the varsity has this year. The S. M. U. Freshmen defeated the reserves by the score of 12 to 0, and outplayed the older team in every department of the game.

Alabama strong contender for the Southern Conference championship meets what is termed the luckiest team in the world and that is the Georgia Bulldogs at Montgomery Saturday of this week. While Washington & Lee one of the other three contenders meet Centre at Louisville. The third undefeated team in the south is Vanderbilt who does not play until Thanksgiving.

Texas reports three of their best varsity men including their captain and quarterback watching the practice from the sidelines. The Aggies are not going to let the Longhorns leave College Station Thanksgiving with an unearned victory and we believe the Longhorns will suffer dearly if they attempt to break in a new quarter at late in the game.

Cotton May Save Life of Tiny Tot

HOUSTON, Texas, Nov. 23.—A fluffy ball of softest cotton kept Marie Rogers, twenty days old, "pound baby," warm today as she battled for her tiny life.

Believing that the bay clothes might chafe the tender skin or exert pressure on the soft bones of the baby, the nurse watching constantly at the side of the improvised incubator, ordered the babe encased in a cocoon of warm cotton.

For the first time since birth a tinge of color crept into the wan cheeks today of the tiny tot. She cried weakly and physicians looked upon this as a hopeful sign that she may live.

The babe's father, G. W. Rogers, has arrived from Shreveport. The 15-year-old mother, recuperating slowly from a four month's siege of thyphoid malatia, rallied today and doctors believe she will live.

The Simms Oil Company brought in a 7,000 barrel well on the H. B. Boyd tract Thursday. The new gusher is located about 1500 feet southwest of the Smith Wheelock.

J. M. Paul of Ennis was here Thursday.

KICKING THE KICK OUT OF JUAREZ GAMBLING CLOSED

JUAREZ, Mex., Nov. 23.—Part of the "kick" came out of the "wildest town" on the North American continent today, when the Mexican Government ordered three of the largest gambling halls in Juarez closed.

Gamblers cut their last deal in the parlors, roulette whels whirred a final fling, came to a permanent stop and were covered up at the close of business last night when Government agents enforced the order of the court.

Open charges of "plated" faro games, loaded dice and too consistent "chuck-a-luck" made recently, resulted in the closing edict. Government officials declared they would close the international bridge at night if the gambling halls refused to obey the closing law.

Jewelry Salesman To Return To Mo. Penitentiary

HOUSTON, Texas, Nov. 23.—Geo. Randall, 25, self-styled jewelry salesman, picked up in a clean up raid here with several thousand dollars worth of jewelry in his possession, prepared to rturn to the Missouri State penitentiary today and round out a 25 year sentence for robbery.

Refusing to give any information about himself to the last, Randall late yesterday was positively identified as a member of the famous Dale Jones bandit gang of Kansas City. He has 23 years of a 25 year sentence to serve.

Randall declared he will not fight extradition.

More Somervell Cases On Trial

CLEBURNE, Texas, Nov. 23.—The state will resume examination of witnesses today in the case of W. B. Pruitt, charged by indictment with manufacture of intoxicating liquor. This case is another of the Somerville cases transferred here on change of venue.

Selection of the jury was completed late yesterday and one witness was examined. Sheriff T. W. Davis the witness was tried last week on a charge of accepting a bribe from Dr. Pruitt and was objected to by the defense but the objection was overruled with the understanding that he would not be forced to answer questions where such answers would be incriminating.

Adjudged Contempt Will Appeal Cace

ABILENE, Texas, Nov. 23.—Adjudged in contempt of Federal court J. W. Mingus and William E. Hawkins of Breckenridge will appeal their case, which grew out of an order by district judge James C. Wilson to Mingus to turn over the efects and properties of the California Petroleum Company to Thomas E. Hayden, receiver in bankruptcy.

It is alleged the two men violated this order and after demand had been made for delivery of the assets an application was filed in Texas district court asking for instructions as to complying with the order.

Mingus was assessed a fine of $250 and thirty days in jail and Hawkins was fined $500. A similar charge against Walter David also of Breckenridge was dismissed.

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PEARCE

Mrs. Callie Pearce, 63, an aged and beloved pioneer mother of Limestone County, died Thursday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Tom L. Cox, at 712 East Titus street. Funeral services and burial will take place at her old home at Thornton Saturday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock. The funeral procession will leave the residence here at 12:15, going through the country to Thornton.

For the past several weeks, the respected deceased has been residing with her daughter here.

She is survived by two sons and three daughters: W. C. Pearce of Richland and R. B. Pearce of Richmond, Va.; Mrs. Tom Cox of Mexia; Mrs. W. P. Brown of Palmer, and Mrs. J. J. Bresenham of Doole. She also has one brother yet living, R. S. McCravey of Thornton.

Funeral services will be conducted by Rev. Joe Jeffers of the First Baptist church of Mexia and Rev. J. S. Taylor of the Baptist church at Thornton.

She was preceded to the grave by more than 30 years, her husband having died in the early 90s.

The deceased came to Texas in early childhood from Georgia where she was born April 3, 1860. The first stop made in Wood County, following which the family moved to Parker County when that section was infested by Indian bands. Later they moved to Limestone County where she has resided since. They settled at Thornton at that time.

She was a faithful member of the Baptist church, a consecrated Christian and devoted mother, whose departure of this life is universally mourned wherever she was known.

NO PEACE IN EUROPE UNDER HOHENZOLLERNS

PARIS, Nov. 23.—There can be no peace in Europe if the Hohenzollerns are restored to power in Germany, Premier Poincare declared in a speech to deputies who leaped to their feet and cheered wildly in response to the words.

Russell Simpson as "Trampas" in "The Virginian"—Preferred Pictures.

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Two rigs were reported to have left Tuckertown late Thursday for tests which it was said would be made near the Green well east of Teague. Considerable excitement prevailed there, following reports from the Freestone test.

Among those here to accompany the body of the deceased, Mrs. Callie Pearce, to Thornton for burial Saturday are Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Brown Palmer; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Pearce of Richland, and Mrs. Bresenham Doole.

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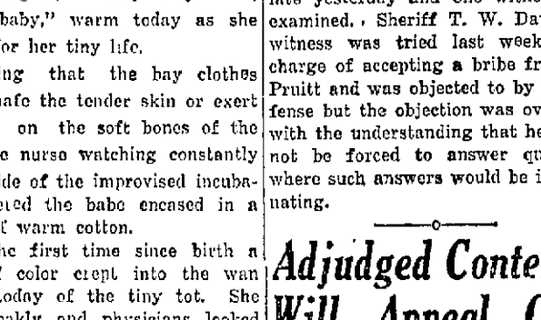
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THIRD DOWN! ONE YARD TO GO!

By HENRY L. FARRELL
(United Press Sports Editor)

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—Football is the third down tomorrow with one to go. The major teams that not buck the last game over the tomorrow will have their last in the Thanksgiving Day games next Thursday.

Activity in the east is almost entirely confined to the Yale-Harvard the Army-Navy games and it is as well that the schedule for the is light, as there is hardly enough for those two big classics of the son.

Yale and Harvard will play before 00 spectators in the Harvard dium at Cambridge and the Army Navy will battle before 65,000 in Polo Grounds here.

The crowds that will be packed or both games will be only a small t of the mob outside the games would be looking on if they could a place or a ticket.

Yale's return to the old days of at teams has greatly revived interest in the battle between the two ding members of the "Big Three." the past three years, the Yale-vard game to the public has just a game with a lot of tradition and it and a game that presented opportunity to display a high social tion by getting hold of a ticket boasting about it.

But with Yale standing for the mpionship of the east and the d going around in Yale circles Tad Jones' team will try to give vard the worst beating in its history, has aroused great interest.

For some reason, large numbers of turners like to see Harvard beaten, while Yale is not the most popular university in the east, part of the blic is behind any team that looks a winner over Harvard.

If Yale does not beat Harvard tomorrow, Yale will feel like quitting football, and the east probably will vote: "You should quit."

Among the 65,000 that will gather in the Brush stadium tomorrow will be only army and navy officers, ranking politicians from Washington, cadets and midshipmen and those who "know" army and navy officers, politicians or cadets and midshipmen well enough to pry a ticket away from them.

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Judge Henry Dennenbaum, chairman of the committee that investigated the riot, in which negro soldiers broke loose from the camp and started for Houston to pillage and loot, says that he has received word that an effort was being made to have President Coolidge pardon the blacks.

Mayor Holcombe soon will receive a transcript of the trials which he will be asked to send to President Coolidge. The transcript was taken at San Antonio where a number of the blacks were convicted and hanged.

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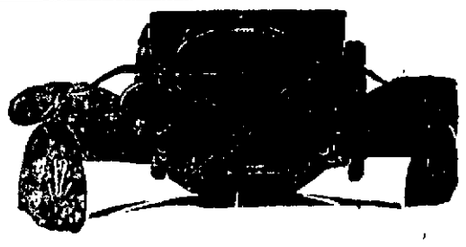
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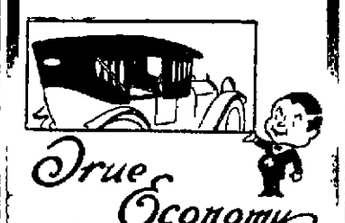
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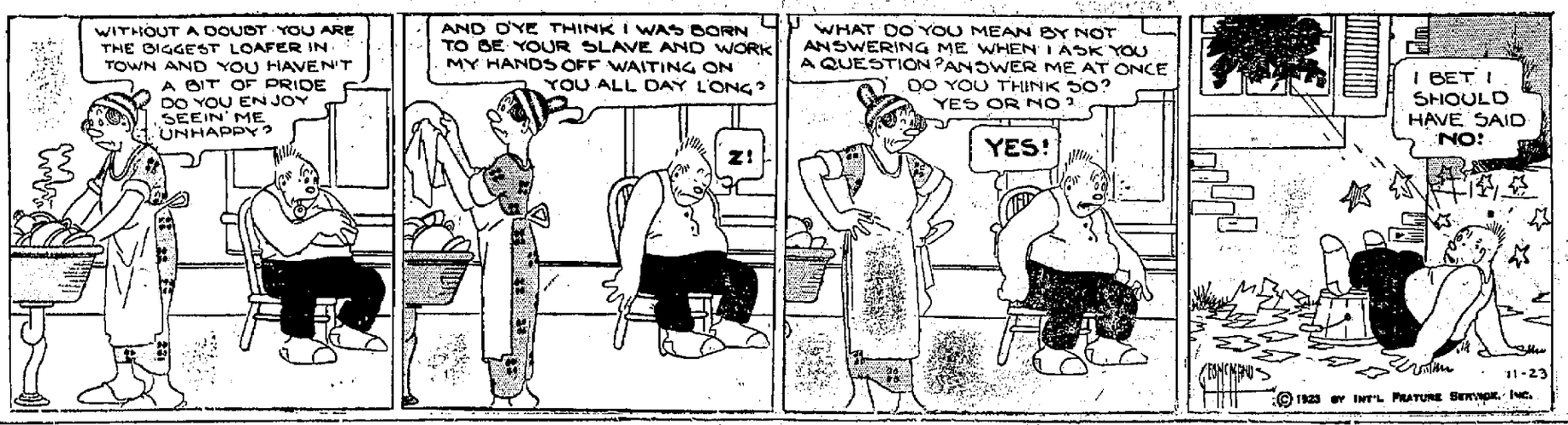
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FARMING IN TEXAS IS PICTURED AS IT MAY DEVELOP

DALLAS, Texas, Nov.22.—That agriculture is the most important industry in Texas was pointed out by Theodore H. Price, economist and financier, in a recent address in this city.

As such it is the opinion of Mr. Price that Texas business men should give attention to promoting the welfare of agriculture. He points out that farming as engaged in by business men is a profitable vocation. He visualizes farming in Texas under modern conditions by employment of labor saving methods and with intelligent operation as an industry which will afford profitable investment for much capital and profitable employment of many men.

His plan contemplates decentralization of population and the use of modern methods to make farming a business with an appeal to business men.

SEATTLE, Wash.—The zoo at Woodland Park has six buffalo, the gift of the Canadian Government.

WHY NOT TRY THIS

The best way to start a motor when the electric starting system refuses to work and the crank has been left in the garage, is to jack up one of the rear wheels and turn it by hand with the clutch in and high gear engaged.

The spark should be retarded and only a small throttle opening allowed. Before removing the jack the gears should be shifted to neutral again.

WILL ANYONE who knew George Lewis, who cooked in the "Mexia Cafe," in 1921, please write his relatives. Jimmie Banks, Potter, Ark. 21P3

W. E. McKinney, who has been drilling a well near Marlin was in the city today meeting friends.

CITATION IN PROBATE
THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Limestone County—Greeting:

You are Hereby Commanded to cause the following citation to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the citation in the County of Limestone, State of Texas, and you shall cause said citation to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

CITATION IN PROBATE

The Sate of Texas,

To all persons intercsted in the welfare of Stanley Sanders, Minor:

On the 15th day of Nov., A. D., 1923 the Honorable H. F. Kirby, County Judge of Limestone County, Texas, made an order appointing Birtie Ann May Sanders temporary guardian of the person and estate of the above named minor, said minor having an estate of the probable value of $2,500.00, consisting of Life Insurance Policy.

All persons interested in the welfare of Stanley Sanders, minor, are hereby cited to appear before the County Court of Limestone County, Texas, at the Court House in the town of Groesbeck, on the 3rd day of December, A. D., 1923, the same being at a regular term of said Court, then and there to contest such appointment if they so desire, and that if appointment is not contested at such term, then the same shall become permanent.

Herein Fail Not, but have you before said court on the first daw of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Groesbeck, this 15th day of November, 1923.

J. L. DAY,
Clerk County Court,
Limestone, County, Tex.
By ANNIE BURNEY, Deputy.

I Hereby Certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original Writ now in my hands.

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Each bidder shall file with his bid engravings and drawings showing designs of said doors and fire escapes he proposes to furnish.

If satisfactory bid is received contract will be let for said doors and fire escapes during regular term of Commissioners' Court beginning on December 10th, 1923.

A certified check as required by law will be required enclosed with each bid.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

By order of Commissioners' Court of Limestone County this the 7th day of November, 1923.

J. B. WATSON, Jr.,
County Auditor.
Nov. 10-17-24. Dec. 1.

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North bound—
345 From cut-off ..... 1:47 p. m.
15 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 3:44 p. m.
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37 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 5:14 a. m.
17 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 4:35 a. m.
19 Dallas Ft. Worth ..... 3:55 a. m.

South bound—
346 To cut-off ..... 7:00 a. m.
16 Houston San Antonio ..... 11:45 a. m.
32 From Dallas ..... 10:08 a. m.
38 Austin San nAtonio ..... 12:21 a. m.
18 Houston San Antonio ..... 1:37 a. m.
20 Houston San Antonio ..... 12:16 a. m.

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ongressman Dyer as A New Bill imed at Lynchings

B HLNDERT LITTLE
ited Press Staff Correspondent)
T LOUI , Mo. Nov 22 (United — A national law to penalize county in which a lynching occurs, the local authorities fail to punish lynchers will be proposed in a bill ofduced at the session of Congress ning in December by Congress- L. C Dyer

The bill is a revision of Dyer mea- introduced at the last session It ll provide that a Federal Grand y be called when county officials l to secure results in punishment of nching, and for a $10,000 fine inst a county which is found clict of its duty

Congressman Dyer announced his w bill at a debate with Congress- n Harry B Hawes on the question whether lynching should be made a leral offense. Dyer taking the af- mative

Dyer declared that 1,382 lynchings d occurred in the United States in last thirty seven years, of which 0 victims were white persons and 7 negro women In all the investi- tions not a single case had been nd in which the lynchers were con- cted and punished he declared.

Hawes said the bill Dyer proposed s unconstitutional because through the Federal Government would rp local police power. He pointed t that South Carolina's State law ding penalties against counties in ich lynchings occur had never been llenged.

Dyer replied that he believed his ll constitutional and that former torney Generals Wickersham and ilmer had expressed a favorable rsion of it

The United States Supreme Court l handed down decisions holding the failure of States to protect ives is a denial of equal rights pro- ted by law

Dyer's bill is based on the Four- th Amendment he said

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PARIS Texas—After filing a cross ll against her husband, A J Hum- rey who was suing her for divorce, Ruth Humphrey attempted to thdraw her suit The court refused d granted her the divorce. Now appealing the verdict.

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Claude King is back at his desk at heeves Brothers after serving on e federal jury in Waco for the past n week

One School Where None Are Tardy

LINCOLN, Neb, Nov. 23 (United Press)—A university where the students are always on time is conducted here. The university is held in the State Penitentiary and is called the "University of Lancaster" by graduated students

The school was started inside prison walls a few years ago as a part of the plan to attempt a cure for crime by intensive education.

On the faculty of the school are the names of three one-time bankers, one butcher, one electrician, one mechanic and a man who was a minister.

James O'Connell, secretary of the prison, serves as chancellor

This year the school is attended by 135 prisoners The work consists of English, literature, bookkeeping, grade school, work up to the eight grade, Spanish and Bible

The most popular course at the school is Spanish, O'Connell said Most of the men serving sentences look forward to the time when they can go to South America and live down their past

Where once prisoners sought to cross the Atlantic and start in this country, the reverse is now true, O'Connell stated

School hours are from 6 p. m to 7 30 p. m each week night and the monotony of prison life is broken by the showing of educational films once each week

Twelve prisoners are learning to [illegible] the school were unable to read a newspaper or write [illegible] names.

All prisoners at the school are membering [illegible] Life prisoners show little interest in education said O'Connell

"We want to make real Americans out of these men," O'Connell said "Most of them are all right at heart They just need a chance."

Intermediate Leaguer Meet

The Intermediate Epworth League met at the Church Sunday night with an increased attendance and a very interesting program was rendered The program for Sunday night at 6 follows:

Leader, Ruby Miller

Song, No 267, To the Work, followed by prayer, by Mrs Krueger

Scripture Reading, Isiah 55 1-9, by leader

1 What have I to be thankful for, Barker Preddy

2 What things in life have given me most joy, Jasper Easterling.

3 How can I show my thankfulness to God, Orelle Edgley.

4 Joy is Divided, Clifford Brown

Song, No. 47, He is So Precious to Me

Sentence Prayers

Song, by six boys To be selected by themselves

Reading by Bess Walters

Instrumental solo, Mariana Murphy.

[illegible] Epworth League

Song, No 2 0 Bring Them In Demonstration

Those who are missing these programs are missing a rare treat. Come Sunday night and bring a friend—Reporter

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R L Wheelock of Corsicana is a business visitor here today

ENCOURAGEMENT FELT IN FREESTONE COUNTY

The reported showings of gas and oil in two of Freestone County's tests tend to show that the wild-catter's "rambow's end" are about to come true Heretofore the test on the Edwards ranch between the Green and Keechi tests encountered considerable show and the test of the O. K., three miles South of the Green test also showed considerable oil and it is evident that the trend of the field in Freestone County is slowly but surely feeling its way to the mecca of wild-catters activities. The strong pressure evident in the Green shows that this vicinity will eventually show up for production and the same is true of the Keechi test in the Salt Dome territory of Freestone County. While many tests have been sunk in Freestone County and many dry holes reported the general opinion is that the fault lies mainly with stock company promoters and not to actual developers but the trend is slowly centering into points that will be thoroughly tested.

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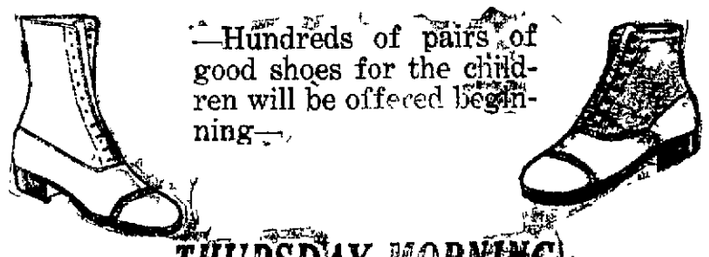

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$16 75 Dresses go at	$11.33	$39.75 Dresses go at	$26.33
$18 75 Dresses go at	$12.33	$42 75 Dresses go at	$28.33
$21 75 Dresses go at	$14.33	$44 75 Dresses go at	$29.33
$22 75 Dresses go at	$15.33	$46 75 Dresses go at	$32.33
$24 75 Dresses go at	$16.33	$49 75 Dresses go at	$34.33
$26 75 Dresses go at	$17.33	$56.75 Dresses go at	$42.33
$29 75 Dresses go at	$19.33	$59.75 Dresses go at	$44.33
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MEXICO'S BIG VOLCANO NOW IN ERUPTION

Tidwell Takes Karem Ring Without A Struggle

Walton Indicted By County Grand Jury--Seven Counts

Old Popocatepti On Rampage Emiting Fire And Smoke

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 23.—Popocatepti, Mexico's volcano, which has been in a semi-active state since the days of the Spanish conquest, became active again. A constant and intense rain of ashes is falling while the summit is belching dense columns of smoke. Natives in surrounding villages are terror stircken and are preparing to flee.

POWER PLANT AT TEAGUE BOUGHT BY COMMUNITY P. & L. CO

MARLIN, Texas, Nov. 23.—The Community Power and Light Company reports the purchase of the plant at Teague, Texas, and are planning to run a high line from Mexia to supply current for Teague and the T. & B. V. shops at Teague. Engineers are now surveying a right-of-way for a high line from Marlin to Mexia via Groesbeck. When this is completed the plant at Marlin will probably supply the current used after ten o'clock at night for the system, thus allowing the smaller plant to close at night.

Midnight Golf Next On Tapis

MINERAL WELLS, Texas, Nov. 23—Night golf, which made its debut during a tournament here recently, gives promise of becoming as popular as the day game.

Development of a luminous ball by local enthusiasts has made midnight foursomes possible. Lights placed at strategic points make the course nearly as easy to negotiate as in the daytime.

Demonstrating the practicability of the night game, four holes were played in forty five minutes and both players turned in scores of 32.

For those whose grandmother can't die every week or hate to brave a torrid sun, the game is expected to prove a boon.

Farmers Want A Tariff on Wheat

OMAHA, Neb., Nov. 23.—A 50 cents per bushel tariff on wheat is asked in resolutions adopted by the National Farmers Educational and Co-operative Union convention at its closing session. Other resolutions demanded that the government accept immediately the Ford offer for Muscle Shoals, that steps be taken to stablize prices of cotton and wheat; separation of intermediate credit bank from the Federal Farm Loan system; repeal of the Esch-Cummins law and public ownership of railroads as co-operative enterprises.

BURGLARS

Burglars are reported to have entered King's Grocery Company's store on Belknap street Thursday night.

Mexia Shriners Capture Waco Thursday

Amid roaring and shouting that fairly rung the coliseum at Waco yesterday, Rodney (Buck) Tidwell, Mexia's popular ring candidate was awarded first honors and took Karem's Diamond ring without a struggle.

The Mexia Shrine Club Special, flag bedecked and with the appropriate colors of the Shrine and showy emblems of the order pulled into the Cotton Belt passenger station promptly on time at eleven o'clock, with about 150 Shriners and their ladies and a full train crew of Nobles.

The special picked up Shriners along the route, stoppnig at Coolidge and Hubbard for a brief parade, headed always by the popular ring candidate.

Upon arrival of the party at Waco they were met at the train by representatives from Karem Temple who offered automoblies for the ladies, but most of them refused the ride and joined the Shrine Club parade from the station to the Raleigh hotel, in which the Jelly Bean Band scored heavily with Buck in the lead. No time was lost on arrival at the Raleigh and Buck and his supporters got busy and mounted the stump in the hotel lobby, presenting his platform to all Waco in a manner becoming only to Buck. The noise kept up in the lobby for nearly an hour, put the hotel's private branch exchange system out of the running and it was impossible for the operator to put through any calls until Buck had them all hollering for him.

Novice Simpson, who was appointed Superintendent of News Butches on the train, with the assistances of a dozen other novices from Mexia and vicinity supplied the crowd with eats smokes and noise makers,

One of the biggest features of Karems big parade was the Mexi delegation, with Buck in the lead driving a two wheel gig to which was hitched an old Gray Mare; the Jelly Bean Band composed of the following members played "The Old Gray Mare," while Buck presented his candidacy to the thousands who crowded the side walks and streets along the line of the procession: Nobles W. B. Lee of Wortham; Rube Maddox, Wallace Welch, J. E. McElroy, Monkey Hitt, Werner and Hayter.

An accident occurred just before the parade started. As Buck swung his outfit into line, the Jelly Bean band struck up the tune Old Gray Mare, came tearing through the wilderness and the mare taking up her cue, started through the wilderness, throwing Buck over backwards, tearing his breeches, which were already skin tight, but this did not impede his progress, for he removed his coat and tied it around where the seat of his breeches should be and continued his campaign with even more vigor, thereby winning hundreds of additional votes by this one act. Buck's main opponent was a Waco novice to whom Buck told that he stood no more show of winning the ring than Jack Walton did of being reseated as Governor of Oklahoma.

A one hundred and twenty five plate luncheon was served in the ball room of the Raleigh Hotel for the Mexiaites at which much jollity was indulged in; not a moment being lost by Buck and his supporters to campaign for votes.

One hundred and twenty five novices crossed the hot sands in the evening and it was declared by all that Buck was a bigger glutton for punishment than any novice in the bunch.

At the conclusion of the ceremonial and the awarding of the ring, a lovely banquet was served by Karem to the several thousand shriners and their ladies, followed immediately by the imperial council, a two reel comedy and a varied musical program by Karems band and other Karem artists.

A fitting climax was the big ball at nine o'clock in which approximately 1500 shriners and ladies participated. So well did they enjoy this feature of the program that several of them were seen driving into Mexia in service cars just in time to get on the job this morning.

The officials of Karem Temple congratulated the Mexia Shrine club for the wonderful showing made in their city and declared that Mexia was largely responsible for the success of the ceremonial and have placed themselves under lasting obli- [illegible] nobles of this com-

More Trouble For Strenous Governor Oklahoma

OKLAHOMA CITY, Nov. 23—Former Governor Walton was indicted by the county grand jury on seven counts, six charging diversion of state funds and prevention of the meeting of the legislature. The seventh, filed in the county court, charged an attempt to intimidate an officer. Dr. A. E. Davenport, state health commissioner, and T. P. Edwards, formerly Walton's chauffeur, were indicted jointly with Walton on five counts. Bond for Walton, which he is prepared to make, was set at $1,000 on each of six counts and $750 on the seventh.

Oxcart Methods Still The Rule

WICHITA FALLS, Texas, Nov. 23.—Originality always pays.

Haled into city court before Judge Corrigan, where excuses rarely go, a violator of the parking laws was called upon for an explanation.

"You can't expect a man who used to leave his ox cart in front of a blacksmith shop for hours to remember to move his car every two hours," he retorted. The court ruled this was pretty good and let him go.

Hit the Bulls Eye And Pay the Price

RANGER, Texas, Nov. 23.—Miss Pearl Skelton, of Ranger, is believed to be the only woman in Texas who runs a shooting gallery.

While her patrons blaze away at the elusive target, she bangs away on the cash register and fills the guns.

"Sure, there's no field of endeavor that a woman can't get into now," she says.

Just a Step From Church To Jail

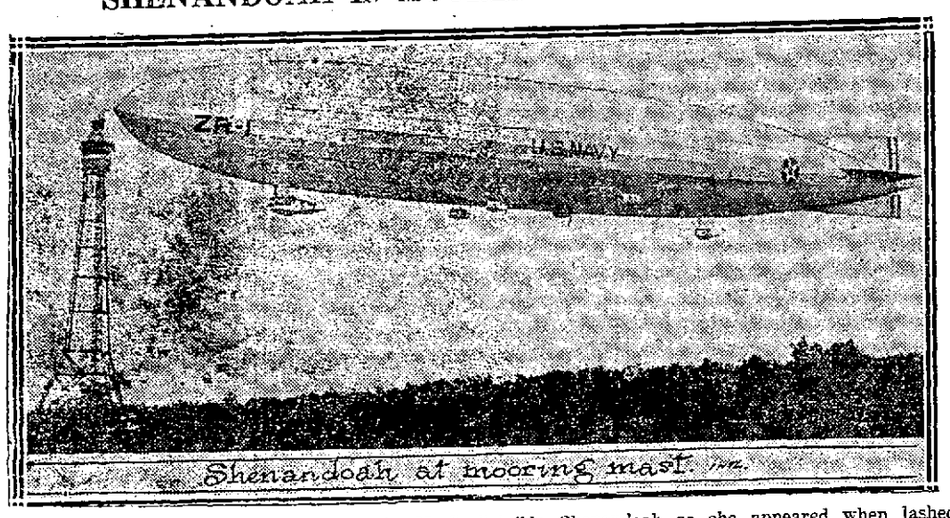
HOUSTON, Texas, Nov. 23.—From a seat of pious dignity at the head of a Sunday School class to a cell in the county jail was the long step taken by H. V. Potts, negro.

"Can't we put off this excitement 'till some other time?" Potts pleaded as deputies attended his class armed with a warrant for his arrest.

"The excitement's over" they told him. "We've just raided your home and found 14 gallons of liquor."

Postmaster I. Newman is on the sick list today.

SHENANDOAH IS MOORED TO STEEL MAST.



Above is shown the first photograph of the U. S. dirigible Shenandoah as she appeared when lashed to her steel mooring mast at Lakehurst, N. J. The mast is 172 feet high and is designed to hold the dirigible in calm weather instead of taking her into her immense hangar. The first attempt to lash her to the mast failed, but a week later three officers and fifteen men moored her securely. Three hundred men are required to "walk the ship" into the hangar.

Ex-Nun Causes Riot In K. C. Theatre

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 23.—Rioting broke out here last night following an address at the St. John theatre by Mrs. Helen Steep, who claims to be an ex-nun.

Scheduled speeches by the woman had been ordered stopped by police following an outbreak at a meeting Wednesday. She obtained a court injunction preventing further police interference.

Following her address last night, women started screaming, pulling hair and arguments broke out thruout the theater. One woman who asked a question following the speech, was escorted from the theater by police amid cries of "throw her out." On the outside, fist fighting started and a score of police were required to quiet the crowd.

Communists And Police Battle In Streets Essen

PARIS, Nov. 23.—Ten thousand communists, massed in the streets of Essen, battled with the police, according to dispatches. One policeman was killed, two wounded and twenty workers were seriously injured.

Uncle Sam Wants To Look at Books

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—Secretary of Agriculture Wallace called a confernece of officials connected with the administration of packer control to plan action to force packers to submit to the examination of their books. Wallace said that his reply to the packers' refusal to open their books to the government would be made immediately.

LAW ABIDING CITIZEN AND NOT A FLOGGER

DALLAS, Texas, Nov. 23.—The grand jury exonerated, in a special report, Tom Noell, Dalas county farmer, from charges by Joe Westbrook, flogger victim, that Noell was one of the floggers. The report characterized Noell as an upright and honorable citizen.

THE WEATHER

East Texas—Tonight and Saturday partly cloudy; somewhat colder tonight.

West Texas—Tonight fair, colder

OIL

Bailing was resumed at the McDonald Bros. test, on the Brown tract, near Richland Thursday morning and a good showing of oil and gas has been reported. According to information reaching here from Richland Thursday afternoon, the bailing line has broken and work was suspended temporarily with about 1400 feet of mud and slush in the bottom of the well.

Oil scouts visiting the well Thursday declare the gas is showing up strong enough to blow out the slush when bailed 500 feet more. The indications are sufficient to warrant the belief that a big well will result on final completion, it is reliably reported. Some oil is reported to have flowed out of the hole Thursday.

Speculation Rife.

Speculation is rife as to whether this is the same pool and can be regarded an extension to the Powell deep field area, or whether it is a part of the Richland pool, and if production will connect in the two heretofore distinct areas.

Should it be an extension to the local field, a vast amount of territory lies between to be drilled and tested. It is reported that a good sand showing is being made at the Mead-Smith test, midway between the two points of big production. The Atlantic test on the Goldman tract is being watched with renewed interest.

Other outpost tests which come into the spotlight by the Richland discovery are the Bressie No. 1 of the Buttram-Tidal Oil Company, the Allison-Taylor-Jackson, and a number of new locations which have been made in that territory on the showing made by completions within the last twenty four hours.

Production Added.

Four wells were brought in in the Powell field Wednesday night. They include the following:

Humble Oiland Refining Company's Crews No. 6; the Humble Oil and Refining Company's E. L. Kent No. 2; Skelley Oil Company's Keith No. 3 and the Simms Oil Company's Boyd No. 3.

The Crews well has been gauged at forty-one barrels of oil an hour, the E. L. Kent at fifty-two barrels an hour, the Skelly-Keith No. 3 has been estimated at 2,500 barraels a day and the Boyd well of the Simms Company is estimated at 200 barrels an hour.

The Mutual Oil Company has purchased forty acres of the Scruggs farm, south of Navarro, for a site to build a tank farm. Five 55s will be erected on the property for storing the oil being produced on the acreage of the company in the Powell pool. Price paid for the forty acres is $9,500.

The Mutual has production on the Harwell tract, at the present western fringe of operations, and has four tests ready to be brought in this week. They are the No. 2, No. 3, No. 4 and

No Friction In Flogging Case At Dallas

DALLAS, Texas, Nov. 23.—Denial that friction existed between the police department, the sheriff's department and the district attorney, was made in a statement issued here last night by the three heads of the departments, following threat of possible federal intervention in the probe of the flogging of Joe Westbrook who yesterday alleged Tom Noell, grand juror, helped whip him.

The statement said the officials were "straining every nerve" to run down the floggers. No arrests have been made since Westbrook was flogged the night of November 1, although the case has been under investigation since.

Thursday, Westbrook demanded that charges be filed against Noell who is a member of the present grand jury. District Attorney Shelby Cox refused to accept charges, declaring the whole accusation a "frame-up."

Police Commissioner Louis Turley declared he would take the case to the United States supreme court unless local officials took action.

BRITISH - AMER'N BOOZE TREATY READY FOR ACTION

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—The British draft of the proposed liquor treaty between the United States and Great Britain will be presented to the State Department sometime today, it is understood here.

The draft proposed by the British Government and instructions covering its presentation to Washington are said to have been received here at the British Embassy.

Separatists Chief Disbands Forces

DUSSELDORF, Nov. 23.—One hundred and sijty Rhineland separatists were killed and 600 wounded in Saturday's fighting, German newspapers announce.

As a result of defeats, the separatist chiefs decided to disband their forces, limiting their activities to maintaining control in cities already occupied.

J. B. Wells of Sulphur Springs is in the city on business.

Questionnaire Being Prepared By Committee On 24 Centennial

CORSICANA, Texas, Nov. 23.—Lowry Martin, chairman of the committee having charge of the survey work in connection with the staging of the proposed Texas Centennial authorized the following statement today:

The committee in charge is already at work and a questionnaire will shortly be mailed to organizations throughout the state of Texas, including all Chambers of Commerce, Merchants Associations, civic and business clubs and organizations, and newspapers seeking their co-operation and requesting information from them as to their ideas in the formulating of definite plans.

This exposition to be the success it rightfully deserves must serve every interest in this great State and above all should be kept clean of promotion either for individual or for any community or section.

Before the press of the State or any organization lend its influence towards the development of any proposed plan for this Centennial they should be certain that such plan eminates from the general committee named to crystalize sentiment for this Exposition or later when further progress has been made, to be sure that those presenting the plan are duly accredited representatives of the Centennial Exposition.

Credit for the idea of this Centennial belongs to Theo. H. Price, of New York City, Editor of Commerce and Finance, who first presented Texas with the plan when he visited Corsicana, at the recent convention of the Tenth District of Associated Advertising Clubs of the World. This convention named a state wide committee to formulate plans or to seek the sentiment of the State towards such an exposition and this work will be properly done by this committee and in due time a concrete plan submitted to the citizenship of Texas.

The committee appointed to take active charge of the centennial survey is Lowry Martin, chairman, Corsicana; John Robert Payne, San Antonio; Percy Montgomery, El Paso, Boyce Martin, Corsicana; Beeman Fisher, Dallas; T. Page Rogers, Houston; James Binkley, Sherman, and W. O. Allen, Amarillo.

Klan Chaplain Caught with Booze Says Was Frameup

MARLIN, Texas, Nov. 23.—Declining to comment on Ku Klux Klan matters, Rev. Caleb E. Ridley, imperial kludd or chaplain of the order was in Marlin today on what he said was "a week's rest cure."

Rev. Ridley was accompanied by Dr. J. W. McNeil, of Silsbee, a friend.

While declining to say anything at all about the Klan, Rev. Ridley broke his resedve long enough to say that charges of driving an automobile while intoxicated, preferred against him in Atlanta, recently, were "all a frame up."

Royal Arch Masons Meet Tomorrow Nite

Regular meeting of Mexia Chapter No. 131, Royal Arch Masons tomorrow (Saturday) night. Some petitions to be acted on and other important business. Visitors are always welcome.—W. M. WEBB, H. P.

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CHILDREN NEED LEADERSHIP.

The child problem is age old. It is accumulative and grows bigger as the world grows older. Time will never be on this earth, and in this country when it will be improper, untimely or out of place to consider that problem and just what may be done by Parent-Teachers clubs and women's organizations in a community to improve child life. Emerson in discussing "The man America needs" in the 70s declared that the young men of this country were lacking in idealism; they needed higher ideals then. They need higher ideals now. Just at this time there is bitter complaint in effect that the young generation is going to the bad; and, after an unprecedented amount of publicity of the crimes and other misdeeds committed by youth, the parent class of our citizenship is rallying to meet the situation. They are realizing that certain things can be done immediately and practically without money and expense, to deal constructively with the moral requirements of the young *in this day and time and thus solve the problem for the present.*

The significance of childhood has been slow to learn. The old Spartan theory was that the aim of government was to form, by means of education, a race of citizens whose bodily strength and powers of endurance, united to moral vigor and public spirit, would be security for their performing efficiently the duties which the state required. There was a savage inconsistency in such a false theory, for the family merged in the state. If a boy baby could not make a soldier, Sparta had no use for him. He was cast to the wild beasts or subjected to neglect and cruelties that brought death even before the swaddling clothes of infancy had been outgrown. When a community neglects its children, it is following to a certain extent the old Spartan theory, which is certain to bring regret and loss sooner or later in life.

In Christian America, we are told of the dignity of the individual man; that man is more than a citizen, and that a state is nothing except as it fosters and develops the happiness and character of the members of society, of all sexes and all ages.

The arguments and facts of our history lead inevitably to this conclusion: human birth and childhood and the discipline which these states and relations involve, furnish, of all others the best possible conditions for the salvation of the race. We should, therefore, study the needs of childhood along with all the other great themes and problems which effect our history.

Consider, for a moment, the condition of a new born babe. What possibilities are wrapped up in that tiny frame and undeveloped mind. That little hand may sometime wield the sceptre of an empire or it may fire a gun, in a moment of murderous passion, and slay a fellow being. It is now nerveless and impotent. That tongue may some day move multitudes by its eloquence or it may join in the chorus of slander and swearing heard on too many of our public corners today. It is now voiceless. That mind may some day master great problems or it may dwarf with the years until its influence for good dwindles to nothing. It is now ignorant of the simplest truths. Weak and pitiful thing, for a whole year it cannot walk alone, or lisp the name of its mother. It is the most helpless of all young things and for a longer length of time. Few children under twelve and dependent upon their own exertions could maintain their own existence. In the life of a mere animal, a few months may terminate its dependent relations. The lower down in the scale of being, the less is this dependence until at last it seems to cease altogether. If we search among the oysters beds, we find no traceable parental care or infantile dependence—only minute points of life adhering to the rocks and fed by the waves.

O, when will we learn fully the *profound and awful significance of* childhood. Shame on the person who can look into the face of a little child and not be awed and thrilled with a sense of responsibility which takes hold on eternity! Mothers and fathers have in their hands a key which none can touch, but an entire community may combine and furnish real fields of opportunity for its young life to enter. In all reverence but with truth, for a long time, parents stand in the place of God to their children.

We must learn that to feed and clothe them simply, to give them education enough to push their way through the conflicts of three score and ten years—that these are the least of our duties toward them.

It is a very sad spectacle when a parent or a community fails to walk worthy of a high vocation. As a falling tree crushes the humbler shrubs and more tender plant life that grow and cling about it, so the apostate parent or community falls not alone but crushes that beneath it when it crashes to the earth in ignominious failure.

Let us, then, provide for the fourfold requirements of our youth and direct the whole life of the child, remembering that there is more in proper training even than in teaching merely. Play, work, sociability and religion are his requirements.

Let's begin the movement with the idea of this four fould service and thus see that the children of this community form habits of thinking, feeling, and doing. Dr. Johnson has well said that the diminutive chains of habit are seldom heavy enough to be felt until they are too strong to be broken. Like snowflakes that fall unperceived upon the earth the seemingly unimportant events of life succeed one another.

Child welfare work may begin with the playground movement. But remember children cannot live by play alone anymore than man can live by bread alone. No expensive equipment is necessary. Space to play, the presence of children and able leadership, such are the essentials of a successful playground. With this idea first executed, then the plan may be fully developed. Usually in a case of a new venture of this kind, it is not difficult to raise the necessary funds through voluntary subscription. Voluntary play leaders may relieve a part of the cost, but there should be at least one person employed on a salary. Able leadership is even more desirable than expensive equipment. Our children need such leadership, and our women can secure it for them.

TEAPOT DOME LEASE MAY ENDANGER NATIONAL DEFENSE.

The first installments of the Teapot Dome Naval Oil Reserve hearings have been published, and the damaging testimony therein will be thoroughly aired in the coming session of Congress.

Senator Kendrick (Wyo.), who brought to light the secret lease of this oil reserve said, "A Government official is not permitted to sell a blind army mule without advertising for bids, yet here Secretary of the Interior, with the concurrence of the President and the Secretary of the Navy, has secretly entered into a contract providing for the disposal of Government property worth millions of dollars."

When ex-Secretary Fall, who made this secret lease, was on the stand he was closely questioned by Senator Walsh of Montana, who has conducted this investigation in a masterly way, on his failure to call for bids on this lease.

"Don't you know," asked Senator Walsh, "that the law expressly provides that Government officials must call for bids in entering into contracts for supplies or services, excepting personal services?"

"Well, I consider this a personal service to the Navy," Fall replied.

"You know *perfectly* well that the exception applies to such services as the employing of Government clerks," said Senator Walsh.

"I think the law also makes exceptions to the effects of public officials to conserve the country's interests," said Fall, "and I felt that in this case I was acting for the best interest of the Navy."

Under this interpretation a public official might do anything he please with Government property and set up the claim that he was acting in the best interest of the country.

The testimony of Chester W. Washburn, an eminent consulting geologist of New York, brought to light a new phase of the military question involved in this case.

Mr. Washburn said: "Remember that in exchange for its crude oil the Government is getting fuel oil in tanks. It is quite possible that in ten years fuel oil will be obsolete. It appears now that the military need of the next generation will be gasoline for aircraft. Gasoline cannot be stored, because of the high rate of evaporation. Many forms of fuel can be extracted from crude oil but the fuel oil is fuel oil. It is presumptious and dangerous for us to stake the future military safety of the country on the chance that fuel oil [illegible] ers will always be the prime necessity".

The testimony as developed by Senator Walsh of Montana and Senator Jones of New Mexico has greatly strengthened the people's case against the looting of this oil reserve and the undermining of the national defense.

AUSTIN, Texas.—Football fans are expecting great things of Eckhardt, Texas University star in the Thanksgiving game against Texas A. & M. Eckhardt one of the best players ever turned out here, will play his last game for Texas against the Aggies.

GREENVILLE, Texas, Nov. 22.—Walter Baumgardner was acquitted late yesterday on a charge of killing W. H. Steed, Jr., last May. The jury was out one hour.

PATTERSON'S COLUMN

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—PATTERSON.

CHANGE OF LIFE

Florida Lady Was in a Miserable Condition, But Says She Found Cardui Helpful, and Got Well.

Altha, Fla.—In explaining how she found Cardui so helpful during change of life, Mrs. Ella M. Bailey, of Route 2, this place, said:

"I became so weakened it was an effort for me to get around. I knew what was the matter, but I felt like I couldn't give up.

"I just dragged, and I certainly was nervous. I was so restless I could not sit down long—yet so weak I couldn't get about. It is a most miserable and such a helpless feeling.

"I would get depressed and out of heart.

"I began to feel, after awhile, there was no use to try to get well. This is all wrong, for it makes a person worse.

"I had heard of Cardui, and thought it might strengthen me. A neighbor had used it with good results.

"I took one bottle (of Cardui), then I saw I wasn't so nervous, so kept it up.

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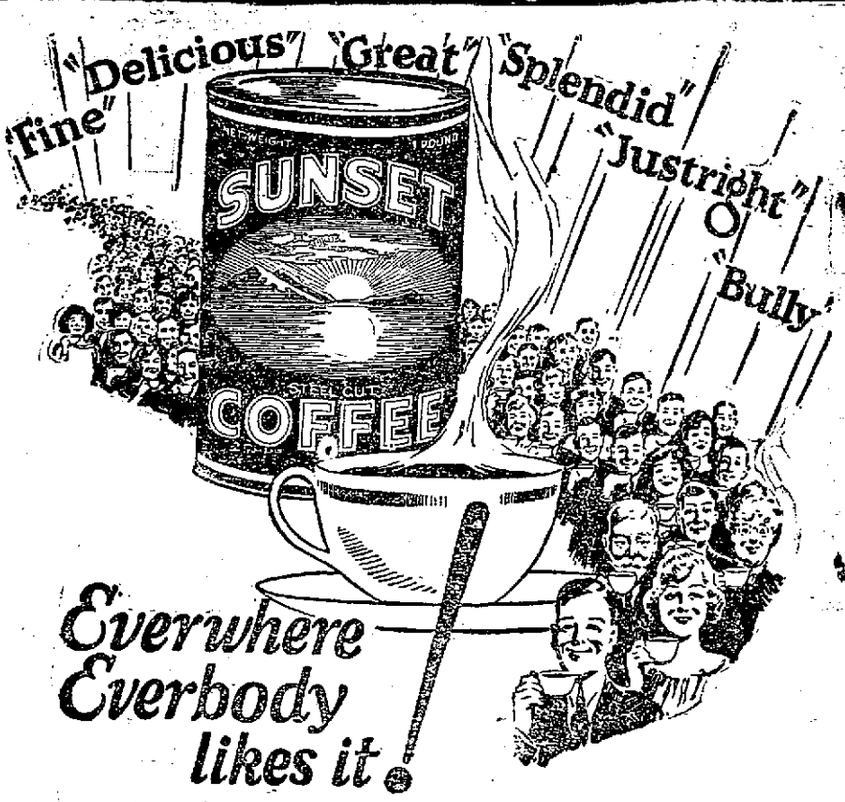

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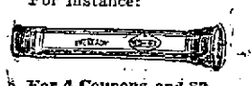

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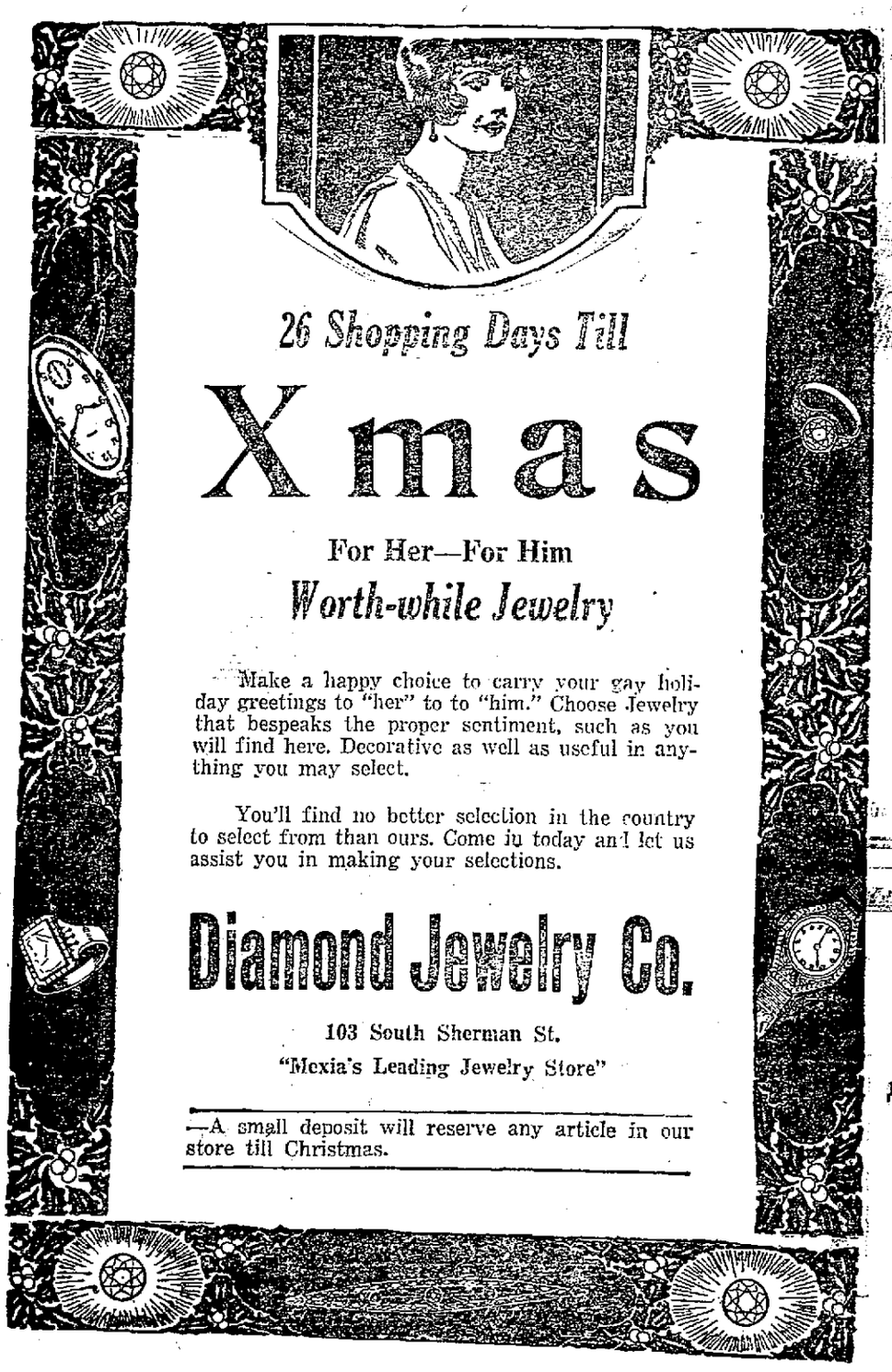
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Latest News From The Oil Fields

FREESTONE COUNTY

he county of Freestone, Texas, a geographical position that places almost entirely within and encir- by a series of great oil fields. topography of the area is for most part a slightly broken plain ned by small creeks and streams its general drainage system to east into Trinity river which ds th county on the east. Border- Free. one county on the west and ning north about twenty degrees courses an escarpment, or bluff extending across the country for ng distance. This escarpment line adly scarred by erosion and thering into an irregular meander- trend of strike often terminating disconnected sections or points and ally known as Tehuacana Bluffs, gah Ridge,etc.

This escarpment formed by a layer strata more resisting to erosion n the adjoining formation marks division, or contact line between periods of formation the surface the upper cretauous laying to the st and the eocene or lower part of tertiary period resting above on slopes to the southeast towards Gulf Coast.

Following and paralelling this arpment line to nearby is apparent- a gigantic system of fault lines of ich the Balcones fault line laying the west may perhaps be considered major fault line.

Along these fault lines probably in fect contact with some of the minor ults have been discovered and de- loped in the last two and one-half ars some of the largest and most oductive oil pools ever discovered Of greatest importance among these e the Mexia, Currie, Richland and well fields and Rockdale and Luling ds farther to the south. The Mex- field is now and has been for a ng period on a settled production s and is considered by proficient l practical oil operators to be a rrel of oil pool in its persistence production or quality to hold up nder the pump after the head pres- ure has been released and natural lowing ceased. These qualities also the Currie-Richland pool area.

The Powell oil field a few miles urther to the north following same rend and general line of geoligical eformity in point of big flowing wells nd excessive flush production of oil s simply immense and beggars fitting escription. Sloping southeastward toward the Gulf Coast in its regional dip from this general line of deforma- ion near where the southeast corner of Freestone county borders Trinity river. This line of deformation while differing considerably from the Bal- cones fault line is nevertheless very pronounced and has many distinct characteristic features marking its course. This interruption of the com- paratively even formation on its re- gional dip is also marked by fractur- ed zones and fault lines and is in ad- dition characterized by a series of well formed salt domes extending across the southeast corner of Free- stone county on a strike north about twenty degrees east roughly paralell to the Balcones fracture zone is a ridge of low uneven hills coursing thru long distances. This feature of ridge crossing the country marks the remains of an escarpment left eroded and weathered away until only the more or less irregular jutting hills and bluffs remain to show its former course. These however maintain a regular order in their strike and course and are plainly observeable covering a long distance. Following along this general line of deformity at near distances often in more or less close contact are a number of very interesting and unusual geologi- cal occurence next in importance to the extended general line of fracturing with its accompanying minor fault lines is perhaps the occurence of a series of salt domes along the course These salt domes are more in evidence in the northern extension of this line of deformity reaching across Ander- son county and range along the strike south to about the line of Leon coun- ty and perhaps further southward. Among these salt domes are some that are quite symmetrical in form with well defined dips in the structur- al formation.

These formative conditions includ- ing the general line of deformity, the minor fault lines and the series of salt domes along its flanks all lend strong support to possible structural formation favorable for oil pools. And that such structural conditions inclos- ing and containing, oil in commercial quantities actually does exist at favored points along this line may be safely predicted. At a distance of a few miles from the little town of Butler in the southeast corner of Freestone county occurs one of these salt domes known as Butler salt dome.

These domeshaped structural con- ditions are probably formed by the slow and gradual intrusion from be- low under enormous pressure of a solid body of the mineral halite or rock salt. The local deformation caused by these geological intrusions are plainly shown by the dip of strata and form an interesting prob- lem in structural geology. The coun- teracting effect of erosion and wear- ing away of the upper portion of these structures are shown plainly by the lines of dips in numerous places. These salt dome structures have long been associated intimately with the occurence of commercial oil pools in many places in Southeast Texas and are always considered one of the con- tributing factors to the favorable in- dications of commercial oil wells. Among some of these salt dome struc- tures are found many of the best oil wells in the state and in many places are known to mark the line of struc- tural conditions producing oil and gas in abundant quantities.

Laying along the strike of this gen- eral structural condition are indica- tions of numerous minor folds and fault lines. Some of these are anti- clinal in structure others are likely fault line structures and may be of various different forms.

That this extended line of formation marked by structural conditions with many favorable features indicating the presence of oil will be production at favored places along its line is most encouraging. Throughout the oil producing regions of the south- west wherever the collective structur- al geological conditions on a large natural plan have been favorable for the collection and trapping of oil,— oil has been obtained by proper and efficient development. That great oil fields like Mexia, Currie and Powell may be found along this line is not to be regarded as unlikely at all and only remains for capable and qualifi- ed operators to test out by drilling and prospecting the area.

Drink Water If Kidneys Bother

Flush your kidneys by drinking a quart of water each day, also take salts occasionally, says a noted au- thority, who tells us that too much rich food forms acids which almost paralyze the kidneys in their efforts to expel it from the blood. They be- come sluggish and weaken; then you may suffer with a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, your stomach sours, tongue is coated and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine gets cloudy, full of sediment, the channels often get sore and irritated obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night.

To help neutralize these irritating acids; to help cleanse the kidneys and flush off the body's urinous waste, get four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy here. Take a tablespoonful in a glass of water be- fore breakfast for a few days, and your kidneys may then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combin- ed with lithia, and has been used for years to flush and stimulate sluggish kidneys; also to neutralize the acids in the system so they no longer irritate, thus often relieving bladder weakness.

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Bert Blair of Wichita Falls is here on business.

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WACO, Texas.—Porter, tackle and youngest player on the Baylor team is out of the lineup on account of ill- ness. It was believed, however, he would be able to play against S. M. U at Dallas next Thursday.

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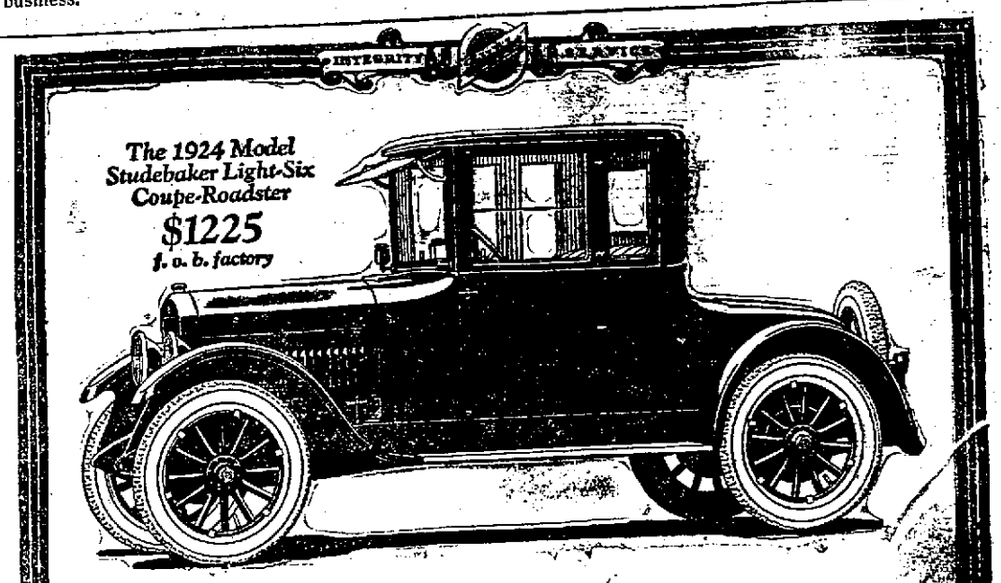

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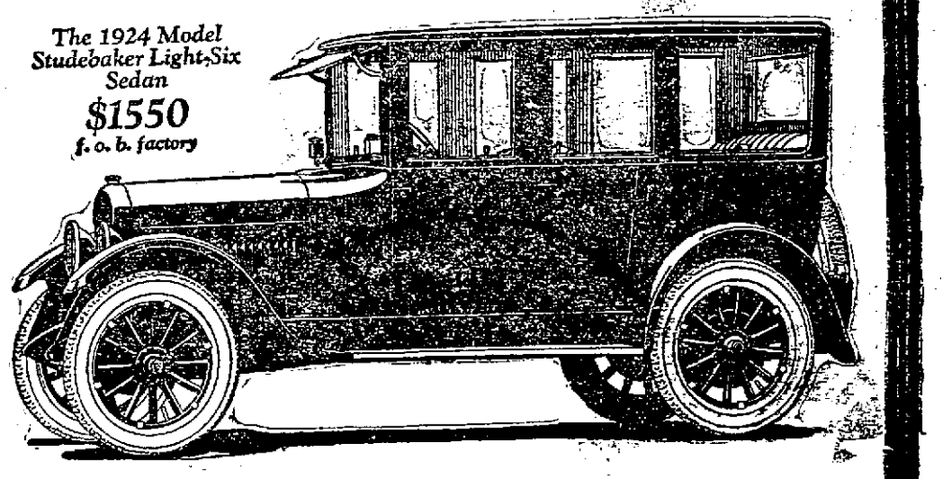

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OIL FOUND IN CALIFORNIA BURIED NEARLY ONE MILE

ALL WELLS COMPLETED IN U. S. IN 1922 MEANT TWELVE THOUSAND MILES OF DRILLING—WHAT IS PETROLEUM?—HOW MUCH OIL?—WORLD COMPETITION.

A well has just been drilled in California which struck oil at 5,430 feet, said to be the deepest producing oil well in the United States. The deepest well ever drilled for oil was completed in Pennsylvania at a depth of 7,579 feet. This was an experimental well which failed to strike oil.

Nowadays the average producing oil well completed in the United States is 2,000 feet, or more than half a mile deep. All the wells completed in the United States in 1922 meant over twelve thousand miles of drilling. Not so many years ago oil was found at an average depth of a thousand to fifteen hundred feet. Deep oil wells now cost from $40,000 to $100,000 to drill and there is always the risk of getting a dry hole.

Where Oil is Deposited.

Petroleum was formed through the geologic ages before primitive man. It is almost without exception found in porous sandy rocks which are stratified, that is, in layers of rocks, and which have been deposited in their respective localities while that part of the earth's surface was under water.

Disintegration by such agencies as water, wind and glaciers, the creation of land where once was water, have left oil deposits at great distance from the sea. Specimens of petrified sea-bottom indicate that the great oil fields of the Mid-Continent in this country at one time formed part of the ocean bed.

What is Oil.

Scientists are divided in opinion as to the origin of oil. The two principal theories are the inorganic and organic.

The inorganic theory is that of the chemical formation of oil by contact of gases with mineral deposits.

The more accepted theory is the organic, that the process of decay or transmutation of animal and vegetable matter imbedded in the earth's surface has taken the form of oil.

Science of Finding Oil.

The manufacture of oil is still going on in nature's laboratory, according to authorities, but at an infinitesimal rate as compared with the drain on known resources. Present known pools have evidently long since passed from the manufacturing stage and are now merely reservoirs.

The finding of oil has resolved itself into a science, the science of petroleum geology, and great advances have been made in the science in recent years. Nature has ordained, however, many qualifying factors as to favorable geologic structure, extent of reservoir, saturation of sand, and so forth, which place the burden of proof as to existence of oil and production of oil upon man's mechanical device, the drill. The discovery and development of oil is of necessity, therefore, a hazardous and costly operating process with widely varied actual results.

How Much Oil?

How much oil? Scientists are not in agreement as to the extent of the world's petroleum resources. Found in many parts of the world, oil has been revealed imbedded in almost the whole range of strata which forms the earth's crust.

Oil does not stay immovable in the rock lined caldron in which it is manufactured. It is as restless as any liquid if it can find an outlet. Oil has moved from the formations in which it was made to other fromations, generally loose and porous, which have served as natural reservoirs.

It is found in rocks ancient and bewhiskered in geological age and then again in formations aeons younger in geological evolution.

Earth Scarcely Scratched

Only a small area of the earth has been tested for oil. Scientific estimates of world petroleum deposits are based on geological knowledge of conditions in developed and undeveloped fields and on the actual tests and experiences to date. One such estimate placed the world's oil reserves at sixty billion barrels.

As development proceeds it is necessary constantly to revise such estimates. The expansion of drilling operations is steadily increasing the range of knowledge as to occurrence of oil.

Other Factors in Oil Development.

Factors, other than geological, affect the development of oil. Many foreign countries have restrictions against operations by other than their own nationals which necessarily operate against free, competitive development.

The United States and Mexico supply 86% of the world's petroleum requirements. The United States is the greatest consumer of oil. In addition to producing 65% of all the oil, this country imports well over one hundred million barrels annually.

View of Government Official.

"There is urgent need of pioneering the world for oil to meet the needs of this generation, but there is no warrant for regarding this advance into new fields as beginning a contest whose aim is world conquest," says George Otis Smith, Director of the U. S. Geological Survey.

"The present need o fthe United States for oil from abroad can be met only by world-wide exploration, development and operation by American companies backed up by our government, and we should expect other nations that are embarrassed by similar or even greater discrepancy between consumption and production to adopt the same policy."

Foreign Competition.

Foreign interests have developed petroleum sources in many countries where restrictions operate against American competition. The Federal Trade Commission recently issued a report on foreign ownership in the petroleum industry, which stated:

"The sources of supply of the domestic industry are concentrated within its own borders and in Mexico, while those of its principal competitor are widely distributed throughout the whole world. It appears obvious that a nation having widely distributed supply and storage facilities and owning themeans of distribution will have certain advantages in world trade against one having concentrated supply."

Miss Lillian Wallace, bookkeeper at the Western Union telegraph office has been on the sick list for several days, and it is feared that she has typhoid fever.

Walter Womack and J. San Smith have returned from a ten hunting trip on the coast near C Christi. Of course they kille as there are thousands of down there flying around ove bays and lakes.

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Edna Wallace Hopper's Youth Cream Powder—the heavy, clinging powder—sells for $1. Edna Wallace Hopper's Face Powder—the light and fluffy powders—sells for 50 cents. Both come in three shades—white, flesh and brunette.

Supplied by all druggists and toilet counters. They also supply my Youth Cream, based on fruits. My Facial Youth—my famous liquid cleanser. My Hair Youth, which brought my luxuriant hair. And my White Youth Clay—the utmost in a facial clay. Those are the creations which made me a beauty and which keep me a beauty at my grand old age. My Beauty Book comes with each.

If you want a matchless powder, go ask for a box of mine. If you want more beauty or perennial youth the very ways which brought them to me are at your command. Edna Wallace Hopper. Business address, Waukesha, Wis.

NOTE: Miss Hopper is now playing the Pantages Vaudeville circuit of the Western States.—(Adv.)

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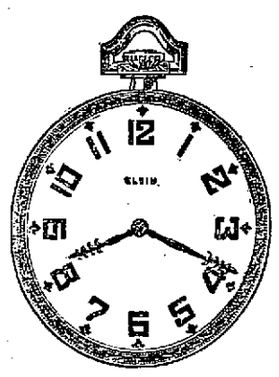
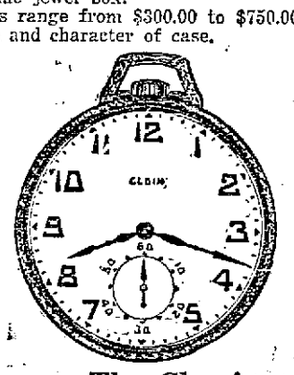


This series embodies the new 19 jewel C. H. Hubbard movement. All watches of this series have the Invar-Steel balance which minimizes temperature variation and makes for remarkably accurate time keeping.

Eight adjustments, within exceptionally narrow limits, made of very finest materials, finished by master craftsmen, cased in an exquisite variety of distinctive designs—in white, green, yellow gold and platinum. Dial and hands varied to harmonize. Each watch delivered in a handsome jewel box.

Prices range from $300.00 to $750.00 depending upon design and character of case.



The Classic

The Classic series of 12 size thin model Elgins presents the 19 jewel Lord Elgin movement, with 8 adjustments and exquisite workmanship throughout.

The new Classic case is of original design, beautifully balanced and comes in three finishes—14k White Gold, 14k Green Gold and 14k Yellow Gold. The glazed finished back and the fine border engraving are new and attractive.

The dial is of solid silver with raised gold numerals and hands that conform to the dial design.

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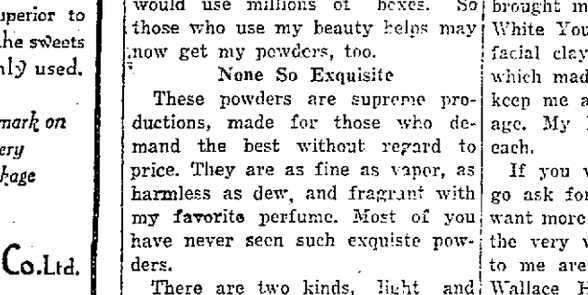

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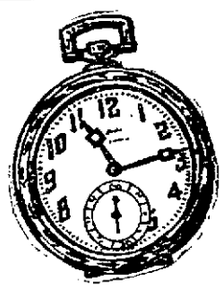

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RECITAL SATURDAY AT CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH EXCITES INTEREST OF MANY IN MEXIA

Many are looking forward with keenest anticipation to a recital which is to be given Saturday afternoon by the pupils of Miss Lois Groover and Miss Mary Adele Woodard. The interesting event will be given at the Central Presbyterian church. to which the public is cordially invited.

Patronesses of the classes are Elise Gibson, Betsey Jane Walters and Margaret Beeson.

The following is the program to be given:

1. The Coo-Coo-Clock-La Bugbee. Margarete Vandersole.
2. Reading—The Cooky Jar.—Betty Nell Phillips.
3. Reading—So Waz I.—Roy Westmoreland.
4. The Prikies Goodnight Song.—Opus 32.—A. L. Brown, Aline Jackson.
5. Reading—Gran'ma Alus Does.—Teddy Prickett.
6. Reading—The Barnyard Fable.—Elizabeth Stevens.
7. Reading—It's Nothing to Laugh At.—Edward Petty.
8. Valseete Op. 11.—A. L. Brown. Margret Machen.
9. Readings—In the Pantry; The Japanese Lullaby.—Margrete Vandersole.
10. Reading—Grandma's Making Cake.—Roger Adamson.
11. Reading—Mud Pies.—Pauline Parker.
12. Scarf Dance—Chaminade.—Beulah May Jackson.
12. Reading—In the Usual Way.—Virginia Brown.
14. Reading—At Breakfast Time.—Walter Ben Jackson.
15. Old Folks at Home.—Stevens Foster, Ora Lee Wiley.
16. Reading—Opportunity—Sill.—Ileene Westmoreland.
17. Reading—Sister's Best Feller.—Arthur Bonner.
18. Reading—The Busy Body.—Inez Callum.
19. The Flower Song—Lang.—Ola Fay Bolton.
20. Reading—My Ships.—Louise Maddox.
21. Fifth Nocturne—Leback.—Annabelle Machen.
22. A Playlette—The Little Pink Lady.—Intermediate Expression Pupils.
23. Duet—Dance of Demons—Holst—Margrete Machen and Annabelle Machen.

LITTLE BABY DIES AFTER EATING LYE WHILE MOTHER DOES THE FAMILY WASHING

Funeral services were held this morning from the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Thompson on East Rusk street for their infant granddaughter, Mary Marguerite Thompson who died Thursday in a Waco sanitarium, following the accidental eating of the contents of a can of lye the day before. The mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Thompson, as well as all the other near and dear relatives, are grief stricken over the sad incident. Wednesday, the mother was doing the family washing at their home near Iredell in Bosque county, when the little one got hold of the can. She was rushed to Waco for treatment and everything possible was done to prolong her life, but to no avail. Life's fitful fever soon ended for the little maid and her precious form conveyed to the home of the grandparents here. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Joe Jeffers this morning at 10:30 and burial took place immediately afterwards in the City Cemetery.

Sportlights

By JIMMIE

When this football season goes down in history the name of Coach Frank Bridges of Baylor should be in the headlines. He has taken an almost green team and developed them into a fighting and so far undefeated team in the Southwestern Conference. If by any chance the Aggies defeat the Longhorns at College Station Turkey Day and the Baylor Bears are victors over the Mustangs at Dallas the hunting goes to the Bears, and if such is the case they have truely earned the title of champions.

The Waco Tigers, winner of district nine championship of which Mexia is a member will meet Calvert, winner of district thirteen in the first elimination contest at Waco next Friday afternoon. The Waco Tigers show the same form that they showed last season when they fought their way to state title and it looks like they are going to duplicate their feat of last season.

The Corsicana Tigers will meet the Ennis delegation in a return match to be played at Ennis Friday afternoon of this week. Corsicana defeated the Ennis squad in their first meeting on Gumbo Buster gridiron by a 6 to 0 score, the Mexia Black Cats accomplished the same feat on the local gridiron last Friday afternoon with the same score.

George Smythe the Army's field general is still out of condition and may be able to play only part of the Navy game Saturday. If this report is correct it will certainly be a blow to the Soldiers because the team is built around Smythe who has led the West Pointers to victory many times. Wood is calling signals and running the team during his absence.

Looks like the youngsters at S. M. U. have the same stuff in them that the varsity has this year. The S. M. U. Freshmen defeated the reserves by the score of 12 to 0, and outplayed the older team in every department of the game.

Alabama strong contender for the Southern Conference championship meets what is termed the luckiest team in the world and that is the Georgia Bulldogs at Montgomery Saturday of this week. While Washington & Lee one of the other three contenders meet Centre at Louisville. The third undefeated team in the south is Vanderbilt who does not play until Thanksgiving.

Texas reports three of their best varsity men including their captain and quarterback watching the practice from the sidelines. The Aggies are not going to let the Longhorns leave College Station Thanksgiving with an unearned victory and we believe the Longhorns will suffer dearly if they attempt to break in a new quarter this late in the game.

Cotton May Save Life of Tiny Tot

HOUSTON, Texas, Nov. 23.—A fluffy ball of softest cotton kept Marie Rogers, twenty days old, "pound baby," warm today as she battled for her tiny life.

Believing that the bay clothes might chafe the tender skin or exert pressure on the soft bones of the baby, the nurse watching constantly at the side of the improvised incubator, ordered the babe encased in a cocoon of warm cotton.

For the first time since birth a tinge of color crept into the wan cheeks today of the tiny tot. She cried weakly and physicians looked upon this as a hopeful sign that she may live.

The babe's father, G. W. Rogers, has arrived from Shreveport. The 15-year-old mother, recuperating slowly from a four month's siege of thyphoid malaria, rallied today and doctors believe she will live.

The Simms Oil Company brought in a 7,000 barrel well on the H. B. Boyd tract Thursday. The new gusher is located about 1500 feet southwest of the Smith Wheelock.

J. M. Paul of Ennis was here Thursday.

KICKING THE KICK OUT OF JUAREZ GAMBLING CLOSED

JUAREZ, Mex., Nov. 23.—Part of the "kick" came out of the "wildest town" on the North American continent today, when the Mexican Government ordered three of the largest gambling halls in Juarez closed.

Gamblers cut their last deal in the parlors, roulette whels whirred a final fling, came to a permanent stop and were covered up at the close of business last night when Government agents enforced the order of the court.

Open charges of "plated" faro games, loaded dice and too consistent "chuck-a-luck" made recently, resulted in the closing edict. Government officials declared they would close the international bridge at night if the gambling halls refused to obey the closing law.

Jewelry Salesman To Return To Mo. Penitentiary

HOUSTON, Texas, Nov. 23.—Geo. Randall, 25, self-styled jewelry salesman, picked up in a clean up raid here with several thousand dollars worth of jewelry in his possession, prepared to rturn to the Missouri State penitentiary today and round out a 25 year sentence for robbery.

Refusing to give any information about himself to the last, Randall late yesterday was positively identified as a member of the famous Dale Jones bandit gang of Kansas City. He has 23 years of a 25 year sentence to serve.

Randall declared he will not fight extradition.

More Somervell Cases On Trial

CLEBURNE, Texas, Nov. 23.—The state will resume examination of witnesses today in the case of W. B. Pruitt, charged by indictment with manufacture of intoxicating liquor. This case is another of the Somerville cases transferred here on change of venue.

Selection of the jury was completed late yesterday and one witness was examined. Sheriff T. W. Davis the witness was tried last week on a charge of accepting a bribe from Dr. Pruitt and was objected to by the defense but the objection was overruled with the understanding that he would not be forced to answer questions where such answers would be incriminating.

Adjudged Contempt Will Appeal Cace

ABILENE, Texas, Nov. 23.—Adjudged in contempt of Federal court J. W. Mingus and William E. Hawkins of Breckenridge will appeal their case, which grew out of an order by district judge James C. Wilson to Mingus to turn over the efects and properties of the California Petroleum Company to Thomas E. Hayden, receiver in bankruptcy.

It is alleged the two men violated this order and after demand had been made for delivery of the assets an application was filed in Texas district court asking for instructions as to complying with the order.

Mingus was assessed a fine of $250 and thirty days in jail and Hawkins was fined $500. A similar charge against Walter David also of Breckenridge was dismissed.

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For years it has been used in hospitals for boils, carbuncles, ulcers, abscesses and open sores, and with the most perfect success. With each original bottle which any pharmacist can supply you, is a folder that gives instructions for use in all of the above distressing complaints. Your druggist will be glad to supply you. —(Adv.)

PEARCE

Mrs. Callie Pearce, 63, an aged and beloved pioneer mother of Limestone County, died Thursday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Tom L. Cox, at 712 East Titus street. Funeral services and burial will take place at her old home at Thornton Saturday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock. The funeral procession will leave the residence here at 12:15, going through the country to Thornton.

For the past several weeks, the respected deceased has been residing with her daughter here.

She is survived by two sons and three daughters: W. C. Pearce of Richland and R. B. Pearce of Richmond, Va.; Mrs. Tom Cox of Mexia; Mrs. W. P. Brown of Palmer, and Mrs. J. J. Bresenham of Doole. She also has one brother yet living, R. S. McCravey of Thornton.

Funeral services will be conducted by Rev. Joe Jeffers of the First Baptist church of Mexia and Rev. J. S. Taylor of the Baptist church at Thornton.

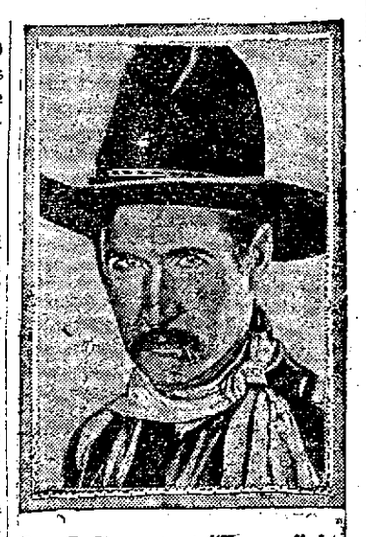
She was preceded to the grave by more than 30 years, her husband having died in the early 90s.

The deceased came to Texas in early childhood from Georgia where she was born April 3, 1860. The first stop made in Wood County, following which the family moved to Parker County when that section was infested by Indian bands. Later they moved to Limestone County where she has resided since. They settled at Thornton at that time.

She was a faithful member of the Baptist church, a consecrated Christian and devoted mother, whose departure of this life is universally mourned wherever she was known.

NO PEACE IN EUROPE UNDER HOHENZOLLERNS

PARIS, Nov. 23.—There can be no peace in Europe if the Hohenzollerns are restored to power in Germany, Premier Poincare declared in a speech to deputies who leaped to their feet and cheered wildly in response to the words.



Russell Simpson as "Trampas" in "The Virginian"—Preferred Pictures.

At the National Theatre Today

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FORCE Tonic

Two rigs were reported to have left Tuckertown late Thursday for tests which it was said would be made near the Green well east of Teague. Considerable excitement prevailed there, following reports from the Freestone test.

Among those here to accompa the body o fthe deceased, Mrs. Cal Pearce, to Thornton for burial Satu day are Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Brown Palmer; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Pear of Richland, and Mrs. Bresenham Doole.

"MONEY TALKS"
Saturday's Cash Specials

Gasoline (at Kaufman Street Grocery) per gal.	$ .15
20 lbs potatoes	.50
8 lbs. Snow Drift	1.60
1 gal. Pure East Texas Ribbon Cane Syrup	.85
2½ lb Lemon Cling Peaches	.30
10 lb. Cane Sugar	1.00
24 lb. White Crest Flour	1.20
24 lb. Bewleys Best Flour	1.00
12 cans Pet Tall Milk	1.50

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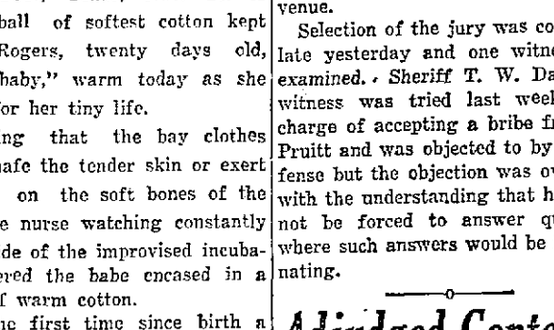

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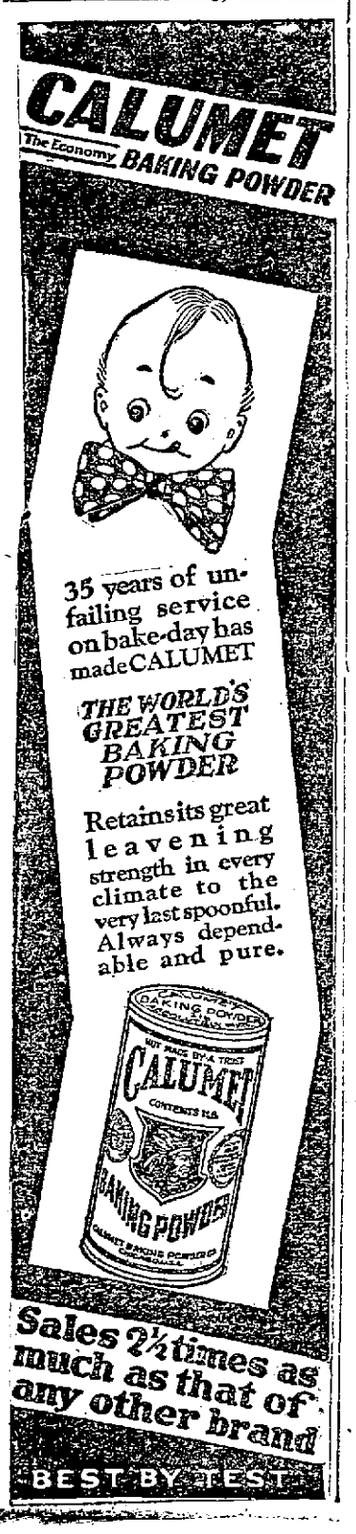
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The late model Maxwell engines are designed with force feed lubricating systems in which oil is forced under pressure to the three main bearings. Holes drilled in the crankshaft carry the oil under pressure from the main bearings to the connecting rod bearings. The other moving parts are lubricated by the oil mist which is created when the oil is forced out through the close clearances at the ends of the connecting rod bearings.

The oil circulating pump is of the impeller type and is located at the camshaft level, drawing its supply through a pipe connecting with a strainer in the oil reservoir.

Aluminum pistons of the constant clearance type are employed. The skirt or bearing part of this type of piston is slotted on one side to provide for expansion under heat and therefore permits the use of close clearances. In addition, horizontal slots are cut through the piston below the lower ring to permit the free return of oil from the cylinder walls.

With the effective control of the oil supply which is secured by this oil return provision on the pistons, the possibility of carbon formation is minimized. In addition, the characteristics of aluminum as a piston material tend to prevent the fuel knock which often occurs when carbon deposits accumulate.

Where natural circulation of the cooling water (thermo-syphon system) is employed as in the Maxwell design, it is desirable to use in warm weather an oil which is suitable for fairly high operating temperatures. Such an oil will be thoroughly atomized and distributed by the Maxwell lubricating system under the conditions of summer operation.

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THIRD DOWN! ONE YARD TO GO!

By HENRY L. FARRELL
(United Press Sports Editor)

EW YORK, Nov. 23.—Football is he third down tomorrow with one to go. The major teams that not buck the last game over the tomorrow will have their last n in the Thanksgiving Day games next Thursday.

ctivity in the east is almost en- confined to the Yale-Harvard the Army-Navy games and it is as well that the schedule for the is light, as there is hardly enough n for those two big classics of the on.

ale and Harvard will play before 00 spectators in the Harvard um at Cambridge and the Army Navy will battle before 65,000 in Polo Grounds here.

The crowds that will be packed or both games will be only a small t of the mob outside the games would be looking on if they could a place or a ticket.

ale's return to the old days of at teams has greatly revived in- st in the battle between the two ding members of the "Big Three." the past three years, the Yale- vard game to the public has just n a game with a lot of tradition ind it and a game that presented pportunity to display a high social ition by getting hold of a ticket boasting about it.

ut with Yale standing for the mpionship of the east and the d going around in Yale circles t Tad Jones' team will try to give rvard the worst beating in its his- , has aroused great interest.

or some reason, large numbers of terners like to see Harvard beaten, while Yale is not the most popu- university in the east, part of the blic is behind any team that looks e a winner over Harvard.

f Yale does not beat Harvard to- morrow, Yale will feel like quitting football, and the east probably will vote: "You should quit."

Among the 65,000 that will gather in the Brush stadium tomorrow will be only army and navy officers, ranking politicians from Washington, cadets and midshipmen and those who "know" army and navy officers, politicians or cadets and midshipmen well enough to pry a ticket away from them.

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BERLIN (United Press)—The German Odd Fellows now open their lodge rooms during the afternoon, permitting poor people to gather and keep warm during the winter days.

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Judge Henry Dennenbaum, chairman of the committee that investigated the riot, in which negro soldiers broke loose from the camp and started for Houston to pillage and loot, says that he has received word that an effort was being made to have President Coolidge pardon the blacks.

Mayor Holcombe soon will receive a transcript of the trials which he will be asked to send to President Coolidge. The transcript was taken at San Antonio where a number of the blacks were convicted and hanged.

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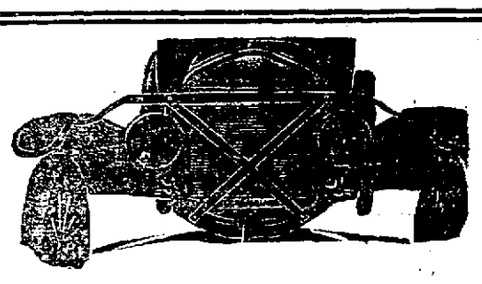
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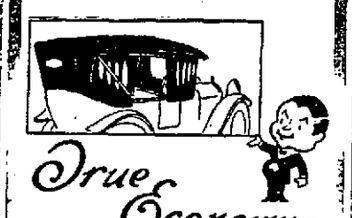
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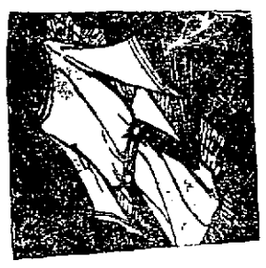
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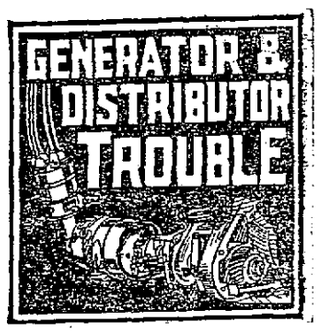

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DALLAS, Texas, Nov.22—That agriculture is the most important industry in Texas was pointed out by Theodore H. Price, economist and financier, in a recent address in this city.

As such it is the opinion of Mr. Price that Texas business men should give attention to promoting the welfare of agriculture. He points out that farming as engaged in by business men is a profitable vocation. He visualizes farming in Texas under modern conditions by employment of labor saving methods and with intelligent operation as an industry which will afford profitable investment for much capital and profitable employment of many men.

His plan contemplates decentralization of population and the use of modern methods to make farming a business with an appeal to business men.

SEATTLE, Wash.—The zoo at Woodland Park has six buffalo, the gift of the Canadian Government.

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WILL ANYONE who knew George Lewis, who cooked in the "Mexia Cafe," in 1921, please write his relatives. Jimmie Banks, Potter, Ark. 21P3

W. E. McKinney, who has been drilling a well near Marlin was in the city today meeting friends.

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To the Sheriff or any Constable of Limestone County—Greeting:

You are Hereby Commanded to cause the following citation to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the citation in the County of Limestone, State of Texas, and you shall cause said citation to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hercof:

CITATION IN PROBATE

The Sate of Texas,

To all persons interested in the welfare of Stanley Sanders, Minor:

On the 15th day of Nov., A. D., 1923 the Honorable H. F. Kirby, County Judge of Limestone County, Texas, made an order appointing Birtie Ann May Sanders temporary guardian of the person and estate of the above named minor, said minor having an estate of the probable value of $2,500.00, consisting of Life Insurance Policy.

All persons interested in the welfare of Stanley Sanders, minor, are hereby cited to appear before the County Court of Limestone County, Texas, at the Court House in the town of Groesbeck, on the 3rd day of December, A. D., 1923, the same being at a regular term of said Court, then and there to contest such appointment if they so desire, and that if appointment is not contested at such term, then the same shall become permanent.

Herein Fail Not, but have you before said court on the first daw of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Groesbeck, this 15th day of November, 1923.

J. L. DAY,
Clerk County Court,
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By ANNIE BURNEY, Deputy.

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Each bidder shall file with his bid engravings and drawings showing designs of said doors and fire escapes he proposes to furnish.

If satisfactory bid is received contract will be let for said doors and fire escapes during regular term of Commissioners' Court beginning on December 10th, 1923.

A certified check as required by law will be required enclosed with each bid.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

By order of Commissioners' Court of Limestone County this the 7th day of November, 1923.

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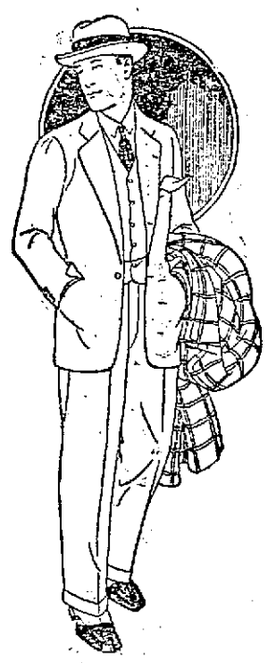

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ongressman Dyer as A New Bill imed at Lynchings

By HERBERT LITTLE
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 22 (United ess.)—A national law to penalize e county in which a lynching occurs, the local authorities fail to punish e lynchers, will be proposed in a bill roduced at the session of Congress rting in December by Congressn L. C. Dyer.

The bill is a revision of Dyer's measre introduced at the last session. It il provide that a Federal Grand ry be called when county officials il to secure results in punishment of nching, and for a $10,000 fine ainst a county which is found relict of its duty.

Congressman Dyer announced his w bill at a debate with Congressan Harry B. Hawes on the question whether lynching should be made a ederal offense, Dyer taking the afrmative.

Dyer declared that 4,382 lynchings d occurred in the United States in e last thirty-seven years, of which 20 victims were white persons and 7 negro women. In all the investitions not a single case had been und in which the lynchers were conicted and punished, he declared.

Hawes said the bill Dyer proposed as unconstitutional because through the Federal Government would urp local police power. He pointed t that South Carolina's State law oviding penalties against counties in hich lynchings occur had never been nforced.

yer replied that he believed his ll constitutional, and that former ttorney Generals Wickersham and almer had expressed a favorable inion of it.

"The United States Supreme Court d handed down decisions holding at the failure of States to protect tizens is a denial of equal rights prode by law."

Dyer's bill is based on the Fourenth Amendment, he said.

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PARIS, Texas.—After filing a cross ll against her husband, A. J. Humarey who was suing her for divorce, rs. Ruth Humphrey attempted to ithdraw her suit. The court refused nd granted her the divorce. Now e's appealing the verdict.

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Claude King is back at his desk at heeves Brothers after serving on e Federal jury in Waco for the past o weeks.

One School Where None Are Tardy

LINCOLN, Neb., Nov. 23 (United Press.)—A university where the students are always on time is conducted here. The university is held in the State Penitentiary and is called the "University of Lancaster" by gray-clad students.

The school was started inside prison walls a few years ago as a part of the plan to attempt a cure for crime by intensive education.

On the faculty of the school are the names of three one-time bankers, one butcher, one electrician, one mechanic and a man who was a minister.

James O'Connell, secretary of the prison, serves as chancellor.

This year the school is attended by 135 prisoners. The work consists of English, literature, bookkeeping, grade school, work up to the eight grade, Spanish and Bible.

The most popular course at the school is Spanish, O'Connell said. Most of the men serving sentences look forward to the time when they can go to South America and live down their past.

Where once prisoners sought to cross the Atlantic and start in this country, the reverse is now true, O'Connell stated.

School hours are from 6 p. m. to 7:30 p. m. each week night and the monotony of prison life is broken by the showing of educational films once each week.

Twelve prisoners are learning to [illegible] and [illegible] were unable to read a newspaper or write their names.

All students at the school are men serving comparatively short sentences. Life prisoners show little interest in education, said O'Connell.

"We want to make real Americans out of these men," O'Connell said. "Most of them are all right at heart. They just need a chance."

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Intermediate Leaguer Meet

The Intermediate Epworth League met at the Church Sunday night with an increased attendance and a very interesting program was rendered. The program for Sunday night at 6 follows:

Leader, Ruby Miller.

Song, No. 267, To the Work, followed by prayer, by Mrs. Krueger.

Scripture Reading, Isiah 55:1-9, by leader.

1. What have I to be thankful for, Barker Preddy.

2. What things in life have given me most joy, Jasper Easterling.

3. How can I show my thankfulness to God, Orelle Edgley.

4. Joy is Divided, Clifford Brown.

Song, No. 47, He is So Precious to Me.

Sentence Prayers.

Song, by six boys. To be selected by themselves.

Reading by Bess Walters.

Instrumental solo, Mariana Murphy.

Song, No. 270, Bring Them In.

Benediction.

Those who are missing these programs are missing a rare treat. Come Sunday night and bring a friend.—Reporter.

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R. L. Wheelock of Corsicana is a business visitor here today.

ENCOURAGEMENT FELT IN FREESTONE COUNTY

The reported showings of gas and oil in two of Freestone County's tests tend to show that the wild-catter's "rainbow's end" are about to come true. Heretofore the test on the Edwards ranch between the Green and Keechi tests encountered considerable show and the test of the O. K., three miles South of the Green test also showed considerable oil and it is evident that the trend of the field in Freestone County is slowly but surely feeling its way to the mecca of wild-catters activities. The strong pressure evident in the Green shows that this vicinity will eventually show up for production and the same is true of the Keechi test in the Salt Dome territory of Freestone County. While many tests have been sunk in Freestone County and many dry holes reported the general opinion is that the fault lies mainly with stock company promoters and not to actual developers but the trend is slowly centering into points that wil be thoroughly tested.

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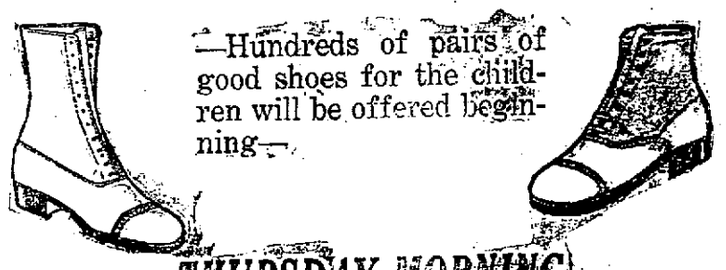

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